

RED CROSS PLANS BOYS' AND GIRLS' HEALTH CRUSADE

Credits Allowed for Health Chores Makes Practical Appeal to Young People While Forming Habits Which Keep Them Well—Effort to Get Cooperation of Schools.

The "Modern Health Crusade" is being recommended by the Junior Red Cross as a system of health education which makes a practical appeal to the child. An effort is being made to get this work taken up in every school in the country.

The Crusade supplies the child with a motive for patient work in acquiring good health habits when the truths of physiology do not call the child to action. It gives boys and girls something to do and honors to earn with visible rewards. It grips their interest until health practices become habitual.

"Every child in our county should have a health chore folder, and before going to bed at night record the number of health chores he has done during the day," says Miss Lillian Newton, in charge of Junior Red Cross activities.

The following are the rules found on these folders:

"1. I washed my hands before each meal today.

"2. I washed, not only my face, but my neck and ears and I cleaned my finger nails today.

"3. I tried to keep my fingers, pencils and everything that might be unclean out of my mouth and nose.

Clean Inside, Too.

"4. I drank a glass of water before each meal and before going to bed, and drank no tea, coffee, nor other injurious drinks today.

"5. I brushed my teeth thoroughly in the morning and in the evening today.

"6. I took ten or more slow deep breaths of fresh air today.

"7. I played out doors or with windows open more than thirty minutes today.

"8. I was in bed ten hours or more last night and kept my windows open. (Boys and girls thirteen years may change this to nine hours.)

"9. I tried today to sit up and stand up straight, to eat slowly, and to attend to toilet and each need of my body at its regular time.

"10. I tried today to keep neat and cheerful constantly and to be helpful to others.

"11. I took a full bath on each day of the week that is checked (x)."

"Every evening before bed-time the mother can check off for the child each of the eleven chores that he has done that day. Seventy-two chores done in one week makes a perfect record. This requires each of the first ten chores to be done daily and a full bath taken on each of two days.

Modern Health Crusaders.

"To become a "Modern Health Crusader" and receive a certificate of enrollment and the title of "Page in Health Knighthood" one must do at least fifty-four chores, 75 per cent of the seventy-two in each of two weeks. To rise to higher ranks and be entitled to the different pins or certificates one must do at least fifty-four chores each week for the following number of weeks:

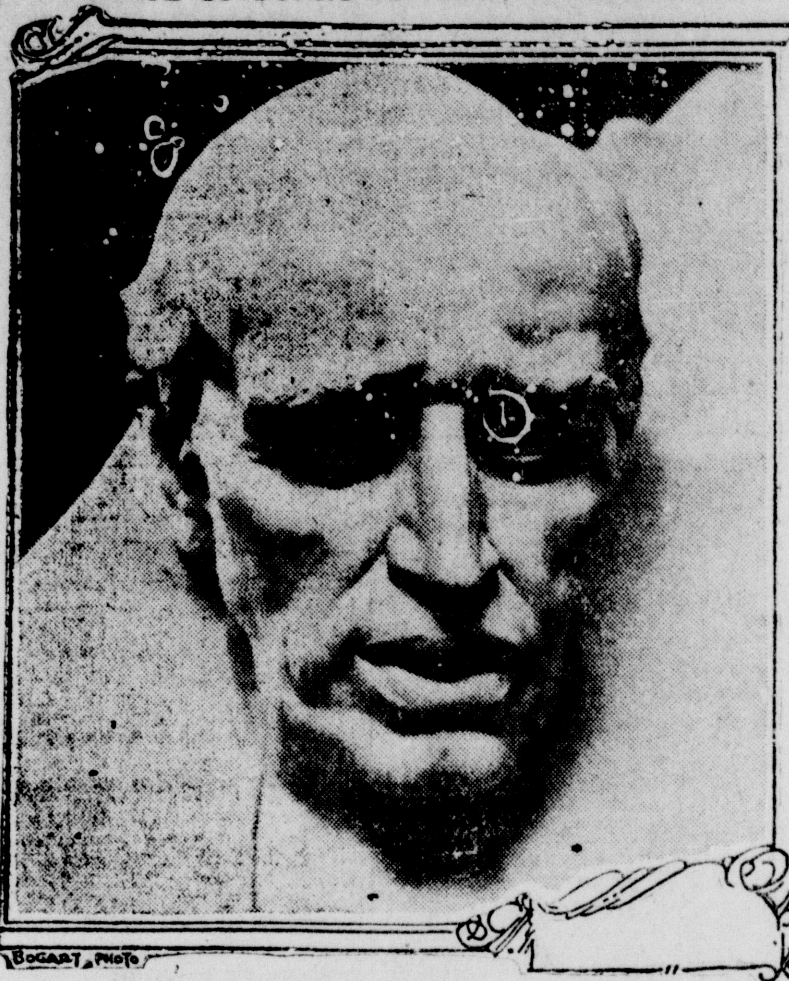
"For 'Squire,' three weeks after becoming 'Page,' a total of five weeks. For 'Knight,' five weeks after becoming 'Squire,' a total of ten weeks. For 'Knight Barronet,' five weeks after becoming 'Knight' a total of fifteen weeks.

"When the child has done enough chores for a title, he carries this record folder properly checked up and signed by himself and one of his parents (or guardian) to his teacher for her to approve and sign. She must be satisfied by his cleanliness from day to day and by other signs that he is doing the chores thoroughly before he has the right to the title and certificate or pin.

"Red Cross Chapter School Committees are authorized to use their funds for the purchase of health chore folders, certificates, pins and all the official Crusade material.

"I earnestly hope that every teacher in the county will co-operate with the Junior Red Cross committee in this modern health crusade work."

"PRINCE OF SORROWS" SHOWN IN MARBLE



Cardinal Mercier, the "Prince of Sorrows," will arrive in the United States this month to bring personally to the American people the heartfelt thanks of all Belgium for what America did for Belgium during the war. The above reproduction of the face of Cardinal Mercier was conceived in marble by Ornorio Ruotolo, widely known New York sculptor.

TO CLASS COTTON FROM FOARD HERE

COTTE COUNTY FARMERS MAY ALSO BRING STAPLE TO VERNON FOR CLASSING.

County Agent N. R. Tisdal and S. H. Johnson, Government cotton classifier, went to Crowell Wednesday and made final arrangements for the classing of Foard county cotton in Vernon. County Agent P. D. Cheney of Crowell was in Vernon Tuesday in the interest of such a plan.

W. O. Logan, county agent of Cottle county, was in Vernon Thursday to see about sending cotton from his county to be classed here. While a great deal of the cotton will be classed on sample, and will perhaps be sold at points in the county where it is produced, many farmers will bring their bales to Vernon and sell here, as they will perhaps figure that with the classifier here the market will be better. This, of course, will mean more business for Vernon.

The committee in charge decided Tuesday to charge 30c a bale for classing cotton, where the sample is left with the classifier. Where the sample is returned, the charge will be 50 cents a bale. All samples sent by mail must be prepaid.

Mr. Johnson calls attention to the fact that it will be a great disadvantage to farmers to gather, rather than pick, their cotton. The farmers in this country have gotten into a habit of getting bolls and all when, with a little more trouble and time, the staple could be picked. This not only results in a loss of from \$15 to \$25 a bale to the farmer, Mr. Johnson said, but has done more than anything else to lower the standard of the local market. With the classing system established it will be more than worth while for the farmers to produce as good a sample as possible, Mr. Johnson maintains.

Mr. Johnson has offices on the second floor of the Oil Exchange building at the west end.

HOG MEN MEET SATURDAY.

Association Will Discuss Changes in Constitution to Be Proposed at State Fair.

The members of the Wilbarger County Swinebreeders' Association have been called to meet at the office of County Agent N. R. Tisdal at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Mr. Tisdal, who is president of the Association, urges that all members be present.

The principal matter to be taken up at Saturday's meeting is some changes in the constitution of the State Association, with which the local organization is affiliated. The changes have special reference to the provisions concerning membership and fees. The State organization will discuss the amendments at the State Fair on October 11.

MAY STORE COTTON IN LOCAL COMPRESS

N. B. HODGE TAKING UP QUESTION WITH OFFICIALS IN FORT WORTH.

Neely B. Hodge, manager of the local compress left Sunday night for Fort Worth to confer with the officials of the Interstate Compress Company, owners of the Vernon plant, on the matter of moving the county weigher to the compress and storing the cotton and using the company's shed as a public cotton warehouse.

The settlement of this matter has been pending for some time and Mr. Hodge expects to make final arrangements while he is in Fort Worth. He expects to return today or tomorrow.

The changing of the public weigher to the compress is being sought for the purpose of giving the farmers access to a covered shed in which to store their cotton. Farmers, generally, have learned that the added expense of storing cotton under a shed is amply repaid by the saving to the staple as a result of being protected from the weather.

SAYS CANNOT SERVE 2 MASTERS.

Elder Tom Walker Urges Large Crowd at Church of Christ Not to Compromise.

"Compromising" was the subject of Elder Tom Walker's address at the Church of Christ Sunday night. The speaker maintained that a person can not serve two masters and he either is serving Christ or the Devil. "When a person comes into the Church he must bring his all with him and when he begins to compromise he loses his chance for salvation," Elder Walker declared. The sermon was preceded by a fifteen-minute talk to the children.

Elder Walker, who moved last week from Bonham to accept the pastorate of the local church, is holding a series of revival meetings. He is assisted by J. H. Antwine of Bonham. Mr. Antwine has charge of the song services. The meetings are being attended by large congregations.

Tolbert School Opens October 27.

Tolbert school will start October 27, according to J. H. Freudiger, a trustee, who was in Vernon yesterday. The trustees planned to start school the first Monday in October, but because of press of farm work decided to postpone the opening until the last Monday. Mr. Freudiger is just getting his wheat threshed, and says it is costing him \$1 a bushel. He lives in the section devastated by hail early in June.

Dixie Wheeler Moves to Vernon.

Dixie Wheeler, who for many years has made his home on his farm south of Harrold, has moved to the H. Hunt place in West Vernon, recently acquired by him.

5 ARE HURT WHEN BACKING FREIGHT HITS AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. M. D. Tate and Son, and Mrs. Jamie Tims of Odell Sustained Severe Bruises and Broken Bones at Denver Crossing Yesterday Afternoon—Maxwell Carried 150 Yards.

Three persons were severely injured and two others bruised as a result of an accident which occurred about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a Maxwell car driven by J. W. Tate of Odell was struck by a freight train at the Denver crossing on North Main street. The train was backing when the accident occurred.

Mr. Tate escaped uninjured, but his mother, Mrs. M. D. Tate, suffered severe bruises about the right hip. Her son, Marvin Tate, sustained two broken ribs and was otherwise seriously bruised. Mrs. Jamie Tims sustained severe bruises on her right side. A Mr. Johnson, who lives near Odell, escaped with slight bruises.

The injured parties received medical attention in Vernon and were removed to the home of Mrs. Tims' sister, Mrs. P. B. Barrett, who lives north of Pease river. Reports this morning say they are resting well.

The automobile was struck squarely in the center and was carried down the track to the west for about 150 yards. The train was backing from the east and the occupants of the car claim they did not see it approaching. One of the wheels on the automobile was broken. Otherwise the machine was damaged but little.

HAS NEW MANAGER.

G. Keith of Fort Worth Succeeds O. H. Corbett, Who Goes to Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

G. Keith of Fort Worth is new manager in Vernon for F. W. Woodworth. He succeeds O. H. Corbett, who was sent to Bartlesville, Okla.

Mr. Corbett has been manager of the local store since it opened last December, and was loath to leave Vernon. In fact, he declined to go until the company guaranteed him an increase of \$1,500 a year as manager of the store in Bartlesville, which is a town about twice as large as Vernon.

The Vernon Woodworth store gets business from all over this part of Texas. The management says people frequently come in on the Denver in the afternoon, buy their bill of goods, and return home that night. A considerable volume of trade comes to the local store from Foard and Cottle counties, much of it being by parcels post.

SAYS CRAPSHOOTERS ARE BOLD.

Citizen Complains of Language Used by Youths and Elders Around City Hall.

Vernon law-breakers seem to be growing very wily. According to information received by The Record youngsters frequent the City Hall steps Sunday afternoons, indulging in games and language which is decidedly objectionable. Complaint is also made that larger boys play on the roofs of buildings in that neighborhood, and resort in a decidedly objectionable way when any attempt is made to stop their enjoyment.

Information given The Record is that both boys and grown men participate in the games, and obscene language. Of course, the officers will stop this, but for a time, at least, the youths have outwitted the law.

KEIL MILL GETS NEW ENGINE.

Manager J. A. Birdsong Hopes to Have Old Machine Ready for Operation Soon.

The new engine for the Keil Milling Company arrived Saturday night and is being installed. The machine is of the internal combustion type, known as the Diesel engine. The improvements being made on the local plant will aggregate \$50,000. The mill is being cared for by the Company's mill in Wichita Falls while the local plant is closed down.

Manager J. A. Birdsong believes that the old engine will be repaired in time to resume operations soon after October 1. The new machine can not be installed within sixty days, he said.

TO WED WORLD'S RICHEST BACHELOR



Society in Newport is talking of little else than the well authenticated report of the early marriage of Robert Goellet, son of the late Ogden Goellet, and known as the "wealthiest bachelor in the world," and Mme. Fernanda Rocchi Riabouchinsky, the famous Italian beauty and formerly wife of Nicholas Riabouchinsky, banker of Moscow. Mme. Riabouchinsky is the daughter of Professor Rocchi, formerly dean of the Department of Printing and Design at Perugia University in Italy.

DEPOSITS IN LOCAL BANKS STILL GROW

TOTAL OF 4 INSTITUTIONS MORE THAN TWICE THAT OF MARCH 12.

Deposits in local banks show a new high record. On call of the comptroller for a statement at the close of business September 12, the two national banks reported deposits of \$1,778,065. The two state banks have deposits of nearly \$900,000. This gives a total in the four institutions of not quite \$2,700,000.

Deposits a month ago were \$2,572,000. An embargo on wheat has prevented disposal of perhaps half a million bushels of that staple, which would have undoubtedly run the local bank deposits well over \$3,000,000. With the largest feed crop Wilbarger county farmers have ever harvested, and with a cotton crop that promises to yield from one-half to three-quarters of a bale to an acre, it is likely that deposits will be increased by \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000 before there is any material reduction.

Deposits at this time are more than \$1,000,000 greater than they were May 12, and show an increase of about \$1,400,000 since March 12. Loans, amounting to \$1,603,000 at this time, are less than \$90,000 more than they were in March.

BAPTIST LAYMAN GIVES \$100,000.

M. H. Wolfe of Dallas Makes Large Subscription to Help His Church Get Big Fund.

M. H. Wolfe, of Dallas, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee of Texas, a prominent layman and president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, has wired to Dr. L. R. Scarborough, General Director of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, his subscription of \$100,000 to the campaign, though the real drive for cash and five-year subscriptions will not be made until the week of November 30, December 7. Mr. Wolfe's subscription is not designated for any special cause and will be apportioned among all the interests fostered by the campaign.

Having just returned from Europe, where he made a special study of the business and social condition of that continent, Mr. Wolfe is expected to lend himself largely to the campaign hereafter.

MISS GILBERT TO SHERMAN AS INSTRUCTOR IN CARR-BURDETTE

Miss Leya Gilbert, daughter of W. W. Gilbert of this city, left yesterday for Sherman where she has accepted a position as instructor in the Carr-Burdette College. She will be at the head of the History Department. Miss Gilbert took an A. B. degree from Texas Christian University at Fort Worth last year.

LOCAL HOGS GOING TO NATIONAL SHOW

DANIEL BOND WILL SEND TWO DUROCS TO DES MOINES, IOWA.

An announcement comes from C. W. Trigg, manager of the Vernon Duroc Jersey Farm, owned by Daniel Bond, to the effect that he plans sending two animals to the National Swine Show which will meet in Des Moines, Iowa, on September 29 to October 1, inclusive.

The animals Mr. Trigg expects to show in the Des Moines exposition include High Orion Lady 2nd, a litter mate of the famous one eared sow of Ed Karnes, a winner in all of the show rings of the North, and Vernon Lone Star. The former porker is three years of age and will show in the age class. Vernon Lone Star is but twelve months old and tips the scales at 500 pounds. He will be shown as a senior pig.

The National Swine exposition is composed of the very best animals in the country, being largely made up of the hogs that have won the grand championship of the several States. The winner of the national show will be proclaimed the grand champion of the nation. In spite of the fact that the contest will be keen and the Vernon animals will be pitted against the nation's best, Mr. Trigg feels confident that he will bring back a prize. As a rule, few porkers from Texas are carried to the national show and it is probable that the animals from the local farm will be the sole representatives from this state.

Arrangements have been made for a Swine Show special to leave Dallas over the M. K. & T. Railway for Des Moines at 4:30 p. m. on September 28. A number of members of the Texas Swinebreeders' Association are planning to attend the show for the purpose of buying blooded stock for their farms.

Mr. Bond will also show a number of animals at the State Fair at Dallas, including the two sent to Des Moines.

CULTURE CLUB MEETING.

First Meeting of Year, September 23, Will Be Reunion And Officer's Day.

The members of the Culture Club will hold their first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. J. A. Lucky on Tuesday afternoon, September 23. This will be "reunion and officers' day" and the officers of the club will furnish refreshments.

Following is the program: "Tis in the Thriftful Autumn Day," Mrs. J. A. Lucky; response, quotations on autumn; music, Mrs. L. E. Fisher; "History of the Club—Its Scope and Vision," Mrs. J. N. Johnson; music, Mrs. P. E. Phillips; social hour. The officers of the club will be assistant hostesses.

SALVATION ARMY IS GIVEN HIGH PRAISE BY MEN FROM ARMY

Former Soldiers Say They Are Ready to Give All They Can Toward Home Service Fund of \$1,000,000 to Be Raised in Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma.

Vernon men, returned from overseas service with the American Expeditionary Forces, say the Salvation Army "made good" in every sense of the word in the welfare work among the fighting men in France. All of those interviewed say the Salvationists won the respect and admiration of the soldiers.

The former soldiers say they are ready to give all they can toward the home service fund of \$1,000,000 to be raised in Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma. Wilbarger's share of this amount is 3,000. The drive begins Monday, September 29th.

Aubrey Foster, ambulance driver with the 90th Division, said: "I can't say too much in praise of the Salvation Army. Their workers were with us all the time except when our men actually went over the top. The Salvation Army girls distributed hot chocolate, pies and doughnuts as the men went in and they were the first to greet them as they came out. Everything they had was free, and the same treatment was accorded to enlisted men and officers. They paid no attention to rank."

"Every time we moved the Salvation Army workers were with us, ready to do some service for the men," according to Lieutenant John A. Storey of the 142nd Infantry. "They did a great work, and I am ready to give my part to help carry on their work here at home."

Captain Paul Albright, Company K, 144th Infantry, said he did not come in contact with the Army workers very much, but he said every soldier he talked to was a booster for the Salvation Army. One man, he said, told him that a Salvation Army girl served him hot chocolate and doughnuts in the front line trenches.

When they reached New York, the returned soldiers say the Army workers were there to distribute cigarettes, doughnuts, peanuts and other delicacies. Telegrams were sent by the Salvation Army to home folks without charge, notifying them of the safe return of the men.

CONTRACT LET FOR TEST.

J. C. Hickernell, A. P. Peek and Associates Contract to Make 2,500 Foot Test for Oil.

The Vasey-Odell Oil Company has let the contract to drill their well on the D. C. Vasey farm near Odell to J. C. Hickernell, A. P. Peek and associates. Standard cable tools will be used and the contract calls for a depth of 2,500 feet.

Derrick timbers are now being hauled out to the location and the contractors promise that drilling will begin as soon as preliminary details can be arranged.

OLD FASHIONED GAMES ARE FEATURE OF PIE SUPPER

Old fashioned games and plenty to eat were features at a pie supper and picnic enjoyed by a number of young people at Rutledge's tank south of Vernon Friday night. The young men were hosts to the young women and the spread consisted of every imaginable edible.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brock, Jr., Misses Ruth Westbrook, Mabel Rockett, Ethel Hatcher, Elizabeth Moore, Myrtle Howard, Minnie King, Puckett, Ethel Haney, Ina Westbrook, Myrtle McKinney, Florence Womack, Irene Vaughn, Birdie Lee Burkhalter; Messrs. Dee Estis, J. N. Fulcher, Geo. Hardin, Walter Hoffman, Obbie Woods, Will Brumblow, Morrow, W. M. Gourley, F. E. Eggleston, Crutcher Cole, S. E. Porterfield, Frank Woods, Neely B. Hodge.

Vernon Masons Visit Crowell.

W. H. Stroud, L. E. Kester, T. A. Hamilton, Chancy Puckett, Clarence Lowellen, J. N. Fulcher and E. M. Haney made up a party of local Masons who were in Crowell last night to assist in conferring six Master's degrees.

More's

TODAY—TUESDAY.

MILDRED HARRIS in "HOME."

You are not fit company for her—
If home ties are losing their hold on your boy or girl, let them see this picture.

WEDNESDAY.

Beatriz Michelena
in
Just Squaw

THURSDAY.



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FRIDAY—LILA LEE in "NOBODY HOME."

SATURDAY—RUPERT JULIAN in "THE FIRE FLINGERS."

MONDAY—ETHEL CLAYTON in "A SPORTING CHANCE."

THE BEST SHOW ALWAYS AT MORE'S

At the Theaters

Pictorial.

In "Putting One Over" George Walsh, as the hero, recovers consciousness after a train wreck to find himself under a new name and taken for the heir to an immense estate. Crooks are working a decidedly original and mysterious game with him. But when George gets next to their machinations—their far certainly flies in typical George Walsh style. The story is intensely dramatic and exciting, and the situations in which he tries to prove his identity are screamingly funny.

Saturday—Tom Moore in "Heartsease." Trying to recover a manuscript which was stolen from him, Tom encounters scoundrels. When the scene opens, he is alone with the two men, but is not expecting them to start a fight. When one makes a sudden lunge at him, he is bowled over, but recovers quickly and dashes at his opponents. He rushes them so swiftly that they in turn are knocked down. The fight runs for several tense minutes, until the unfortunate chap, is thrown against a heavy table leg. Both love the courage of the youth which comes to the top when needed. Tom Moore is Irish, so why go into more detail?

More's.

Poor Foolish Little Millie Rankin—She thought the greatest treasures in the world were riches and a high social position, and she wanted to marry a rich man. So she angled for the heart of a man-about-town—who had no visible means of support—because she thought he was rich but he was only using her as a blind to cover his little affair with another woman. "Home," the latest Universal picture featuring Mrs. Charles Chaplin (Mildred Harris) as Millie Rankin will be shown today.

Red blooded men who love real adventure and red blooded women who admire courage and honor will be interested to see "Just Squaw," starring the beautiful Beatriz Michelena which will show at More's Wednesday. This is a rapidly moving drama of the far West with a beautiful and emotional star in the role of a white half-breed, a story of a woman's flight against love, a drama in which blood tells.

Returns From Overseas Service.

H. M. Chadwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick, residing north of the river, returned home Saturday, after thirteen months' service with the American Expeditionary Forces in France. Mr. Chadwick was in the Quartermaster's Corps and saw no actual fighting. He left Camp Bowie with the Thirty-sixth Division but was later transferred.

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I am prepared to move any kind of wooden building and exercise greatest care. My work is guaranteed. Find me at Cameron Lumber Yard. Phone 93. 808tp Adv. T. P. ADDISON.

Gandy Building Rent House.

W. E. Gandy has let the contract to H. H. Jones for the construction of a four-room house on his lots on East Pease street. Mr. Gandy will use the property for rental purposes.

OVER 5 MILLION
DOLLAR BUSINESS
ITS OPENING YEAR

Wichita Falls' biggest insurance institution, the Wichita Great Western Underwriters, announced Saturday their field of operations to take in several plans to extend their field of operations to take in several new states. The company which is made up of home capital and which has on its advisory board some of the leading men of Texas in financial circles, expects to bring into local bank deposits through their underwriters, hundreds of thousands of dollars in new capital during their new fiscal year.

The Wichita Great Western Underwriters started in business just a year ago and during the first twelve months, secured on their books more than five million dollars' insurance, with three million dollars more in hand at the close of the twelve months period. The company writes fire insurance on the reciprocal plan, and were able at the end of the year to refund to their policy holders 52 per cent of the premiums paid. According to Mr. Mabry, who is one of the executive officers of the company, this remarkable result was obtained through the careful selection of preferred risks accepted.

The personnel of the institution is well known to the southwest as leading bankers and business men. John S. Mabry and R. E. Huff are managers and attorneys for the company. J. O. Powers is secretary-treasurer. The advisory board is composed of the following prominent Texans:

D. E. Waggoner, president Security National Bank, Dallas.
R. E. Huff, president First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.
J. A. Kemp, president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.
J. C. Hunt, wholesale grainery, Wichita Falls, Texas.
W. H. Faqua, president First National Bank, Amarillo, Texas.
R. R. Darrah, manager Magnolia Petroleum Company, Fort Worth, Texas.

P. P. Langford, vice president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.
C. W. Reid, president National Bank of Commerce, Wichita Falls, Texas.
Chas. C. Huff, general counsel M. K. & T. Railway Company, also general

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For sale, a good crop, good teams, and good tools. Party selling is in other business. This stuff is worth the money. See me quick. Arlie Berry. Phone 98. Adv. 1tp

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Miss Margaret Gilbert was a visitor in Davidson, Okla., Sunday.

A few choice homes listed for sale. Phone 98. Arlie Berry. 1tp

Mrs. W. C. Plunk of Collingsworth county returned to her home Saturday after visiting last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Fain, two and a half miles east of Odell, and other relatives.

Dr. Hines Clark and family of Crowell were in Vernon yesterday, and left last night for Denton, where his daughter, Frances, will enter college. Mrs. Clark is a sister of Mrs. H. W. Norwood of Vernon.

Miss Alma Schroeder of Thalia was in Vernon Saturday, and asked that The Record be sent to her uncle, Paul Schroeder, at Muldoo, Texas. "There is so much happening in Wilbarger county," she said, "that he will have to have The Record to keep up with it."

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J. B. Mayfield, president Mayfield Company, wholesale grocers, Tyler, Texas.

C. E. McCutchen, vice president First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

John S. Mabry, manager and attorney Wichita Great Western Underwriters, Wichita Falls, Texas. 70-3tc

Miss Gene Lewellen returned Sunday from a visit with relatives and friends at Dallas, Hillsboro, Waco and Wichita Falls.

White Crest flour for sale at D. C. Matthew's grocery store on West Texas street. Adv. 70-3tc

We specialize on Buicks, Paiges, Hudsons and in fact all other big cars. I don't work boys and charge you mechanic prices. All work guaranteed to be first class at Freeman's Cash Shop, located in the old Key blacksmith shop, north Main street, Vernon, Texas. Adv. 60-5tc

Crowell Man Will Move Here.

D. M. Ferebee of Crowell has bought the old J. H. Pendleton home on West Pease street, and will occupy same as a home about October 1. Mr. Ferebee was formerly tax assessor of Ford county. Rogers & Jackson negotiated the transaction. The consideration was \$65,500.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-1tc

Bryan Backus returned Sunday night from a trip through North and South Dakota, Montana, Washington, and other Northwestern States, where he has been at work through the harvest season. He will leave next week for Austin to attend the University of Texas.

It's Bound to Come
BETTER TIMES

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TUESDAY.

THEDA BARA in "Under Two Flags."

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WEDNESDAY.

TOM MOORE in "HEARTSEASE"

and Fox Sunshine Comedy.

THURSDAY.

"PUTTING ONE OVER"

featuring

GEORGE WALSH

in a double part, and Keystone Comedy.

FRIDAY—NORMA TALMADGE in "THE WAY OF A WOMAN."

SATURDAY—BESSIE LOVE in "CUPID FORECLOSES."

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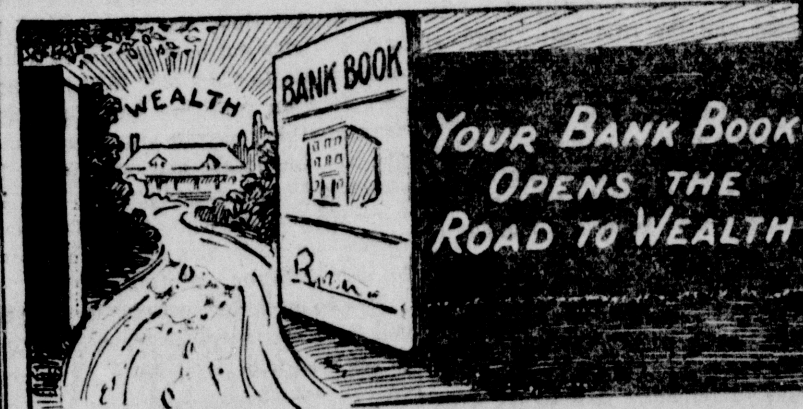
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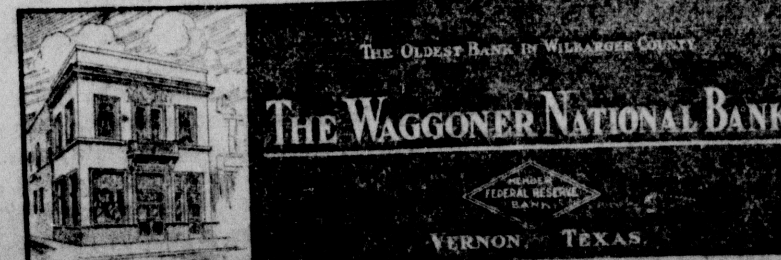
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TO HEAR PROPERTY OWNERS OCTOBER 6

PAYING WILL BEGIN AS SOON AS LAW IS COMPLIED WITH, CONTRACTOR SAYS.

The City Commission has set October 6 as the date when the owners of property abutting on West Paradise and East Wilbarger will be given a hearing before the levy of a tax against said property for the purpose of paying the expense of paving these streets. The session will continue after October 6, from day to day, until all of the property owners or their attorneys will have an opportunity to have their case heard.

Material for the paving is arriving daily. So far, however, no shipments of rock have been received. Contractor H. K. McCollum believes that sufficient material will be on hand to start work immediately after the disposition of the hearing to the property owners. Actual work can not be started until after the law has been complied with in that respect.

White City News.

White City, Sept. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—A revival meeting began Sunday at the White City Baptist Church. Rev. Frank McNair of Tolbert is assisting Rev. W. W. Adams. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Odell Baptist revival closed Friday night. Rev. Wynn returned to his home in Dallas Saturday. There were two candidates for baptism, which took place Sunday evening by the pastor, W. W. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. J. Dunson returned Tuesday, after a week's visit with his brother near Whitesboro.

Albert Gauntt arrived last week, having been honorably discharged from the army. He saw service in France and Germany.

Mrs. Calvin Craig of Vernon is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ward.

Lee Coffey and Miss Clydia Floyd drove to Vernon Sunday and were quietly married. Lee is the youngest son of Mrs. M. A. Coffey of this community, while Miss Floyd is eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Floyd of this place. The writer joins a large number of friends in congratulations and best wishes for the young couple.

Rev. W. H. Wynn of Dallas and Miss Faye Wynn of Odell visited Rev. W. W. Adams and family Wednesday.

PRESBYTERY OPENS TODAY.

Representatives of Presbyterian Churches from All Over Panhandle in Vernon for Meeting.

Pastors and representatives of Presbyterian Churches from all over the Panhandle are in Vernon attending the Amarillo Presbytery which will be in session at the local Presbyterian Church today and tomorrow. The last session was held in Plainview last spring at which time Vernon was selected as the next meeting place.

The pastor, Rev. Gaines B. Hall, and S. Sewell are representing the local congregation.

For Sale.

Oil leases of 1,500 acres, solid body. Oil leases near locations, derricks now up; have lease of various sizes in all parts of county. 10,000 acre improved ranch, all tillable, at \$16.00 per acre; 5,000 acres well improved and watered land, all tillable but 500 acres. Price \$16.00. See J. E. Lutz. 46-1f

Sermon Themes.

Rev. Henry F. Brooks will preach on the following themes this week.

Next Saturday afternoon on the streets of Vernon, 4 o'clock, subject—"Bolshevism."

Next Sunday—11:00 a. m., "Going into the Temple." 8:30 p. m., "Looking Toward Jerusalem." Adv. 11c

Forty-Two Club With Mrs. Sherman.

The members of the Tuesday Forty-Two Club were guests at the home of Mrs. J. G. Sherman Thursday afternoon. Five tables were laid. Delicious refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

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Otis Key left yesterday for Sherman, where he will attend the high school during this session.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gilliland returned Friday to their home in Wichita Falls, after a several days' visit in Vernon with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Blair. Masters Robert, Charles and Paul Blair returned to spend several days visiting in Wichita Falls.

Thalia News.

Thalia, Sept. 12.—(By special correspondence.)—The Thalia school opened Monday morning with a good attendance.

Rev. Pierson and family of this place took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Crisp and family near Rayland Sunday.

Miss Letha Haney, who underwent an operation ten days ago, is slowly improving.

Ewald, Alma and Emma Schroeder and Veda and Linnie Cridbs, took dinner with the Misses Crisp Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Bradford and children of Swearingen, who have been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford, went to Ford City Saturday to visit friends. They returned Monday for a few days' visit here, after which they will return to their home at Swearingen.

Edd Johnson returned to Austin Sunday after a few days' visit with his parents, Luke Johnson, and family.

George Condon and family and Luther and wife came in from Oklahoma Thursday and spent the night at Will Johnson's. They will pick cotton in this community this fall.

Ben Bradford and family and Miss Flora Bradford accompanied Mrs. Albert Bradford to her home at Swearingen. They will visit there a few days before returning home.

Will Johnson and family spent Sunday with J. K. French and family. Mrs. M. E. Porter, who has been staying with her son, Lloyd, for the past month, left Thursday for Electra, where she will visit her son, T. J. Porter.

Joe Conal left Saturday for New Mexico where he will spend a few weeks.

Miss Edna Shaw left Sunday for Denton where she will enter the C. I. A.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Flemming again Thursday evening at 2:30 o'clock and took from their midst their little two and one-half month's old daughter Edna. It was hard to part with her but we all knew she went to the home above to meet her little twin brother who parted with this world two months ago. Rev. Pierson conducted the funeral service at the Thalia cemetery, after which her little body was laid to rest at 11 o'clock Friday. This community joins in sympathy for the grief-stricken parents, brothers and sisters.

Jim Cates and Miss Dessie More were quietly married at Crowell Wednesday night. They will reside with the groom's parents. This community joins in wishing them a long and happy married life.

J. A. Abston and family left Friday for Wellington where they will visit with relatives until Sunday.

Arthur Phillips and family went to Wellington Friday. They returned Sunday.

S. P. Keney is here from Knox City transacting business.

J. G. Thompson has recently purchased an Avery tractor, with which to do his plowing. A. L. Dunnigan came out from Crowell Monday and put it in condition for work.

Walter Bannister and family were out on their farm Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols visited with Jim Simmons and family Sunday in the Black community. Mr. Simmons lives on Mr. Nichols' farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Haney and Mrs. Gregory of Vernon visited with the former's parents, Mado Haney and family Wednesday.

Sam and Wallace Seales are building an addition of one room to the Rayland school house. Rayland will have three teachers this year.

Misses Stella and Bessie Tole are studying music under Miss Myrtle Johnson's instructions.

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Any drugist will supply three ounces of orchard white at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons. Adv. 29-1f

CONSTITUTION DAY PROCLAIMED.

Governor Hobby Urges Suitable Observation of 132nd Anniversary of National Constitution.

The banks and postoffice will not close and so far as known no special exercises will feature "Constitution Day" which comes tomorrow, September 17, by proclamation of Governor Hobby. The proclamation is in line with the plans of the National Security League for a nation wide celebration of the 132nd anniversary of the United States Constitution.

The Governor urges teachers, bar associations and other organizations to hold exercises in commemoration of the enactment of the constitution.

Mrs. A. P. Howard and daughters Myrtle and Dollie have gone to Dallas, where the latter will matriculate in Powell Training School. Mrs. Howard and Miss Myrtle will return to Vernon tomorrow.

New Cotton Office for Vernon.

King, Collier & Company of Dallas, one of the largest cotton firms in the South, is opening an office in Vernon under the management of Arnold Anderson. The local office will be located in the second story of the Oil Exchange building. The district to be served from the Vernon office will include pretty well all this section of Texas and a large portion of Oklahoma.

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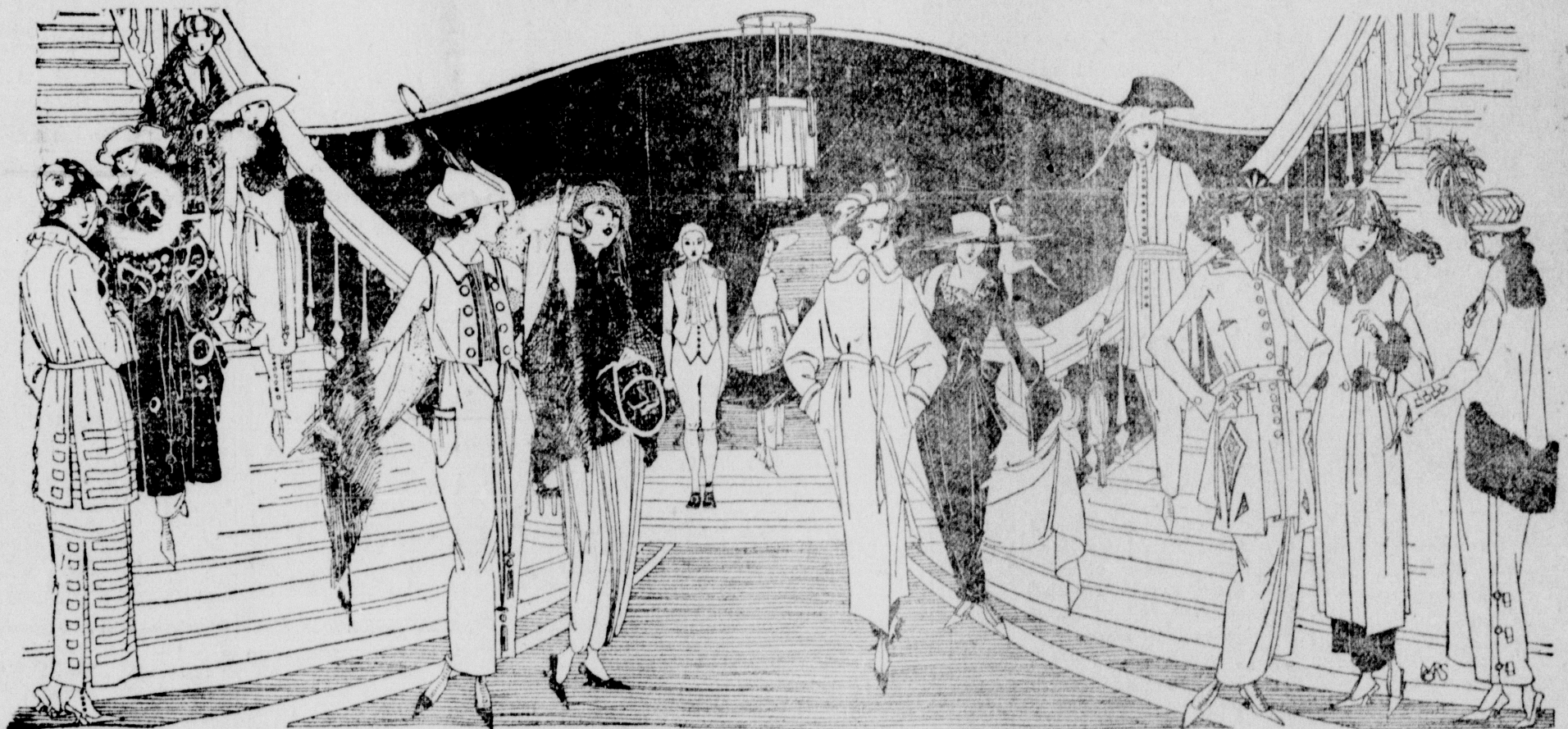
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ACTIVITY IS SHOWN IN DRILLING REPORT

PINKSTON SAYS WILBARGER GETTING MOST THOROUGH TEST OF ANY COUNTY.

The efforts to further enlarge the oil field in Wilbarger county is shown by the drilling report herewith. S. R. Pinkston says that Wilbarger county is getting the most thorough test of any county in Texas outside of those where there is large production.

Mr. Pinkston has been in every county north of the Texas & Pacific railroad and in many counties south of that line. He says the one most nearly approximating Wilbarger is McCulloch county, where they boast of having seventeen test wells, and claimed to be leading the State until Mr. Pinkston showed them what is being done here.

The following report of drilling operations in Wilbarger, Foard and Hardeman counties is furnished by courtesy of the Guaranty Abstract Company:

Aetna Oil Company No. 1, Goss subdivision 23, Waggoner Colony, 700 feet, underreaming.

American Eagle Oil & Gas Company Kelly, Section 51, Block 13, repairing machinery.

Apex Oil Company, Section 36, Block 13, Ferguson, derrick blown down, 1,385 feet.

Texas Crescent Oil Company, Section 24, Block 13, timbers on ground.

Webb-Magness et al., Luther Webb farm, Section 48, Block 12, spudding in.

Wilbarger County Oil Company, Carter, Section 21, Block 19, spudding in.

Kemp, et al., Section 19, Block 13, drilling at 1800 feet, oil standing 1,600 feet in hole, casing being set. This well went over the derrick Friday. It is nine feet in the sand.

Staley, et al., Vaughn, Section 5, Block 15, rigging up.

Wilbarger-Hardeman County Oil Company Durham, Section 67, Block 16, spudding below 100 feet.

Vassey-Odell Oil Company, Vassey, rigging up on Section 4, Block 11.

Crescent Cove Oil Company, J. P. Starr, Section 7, Block 15, machinery and derrick.

Castlebury Oil & Gas Company, Castlebury, Section 67, Block 14, location.

Minnesota Southern Oil Company, Collingsworth survey, shut down, 1,520 feet.

Staley Farm Oil Company, M. B. Tatum survey, location.

Harrington & Robinson No. 1, McCaleb, Section 62, Block 16, drilling 1,100 feet.

Clio Oil Company, 32 acres in Block 39, location.

Twin Six Oil Company, Smith well in Section 25, Block 13, drilling at 800 feet.

Staley-Greene et al., J. G. Ayres farm, Section 21, Block 10, contract.

Three locations recently made by Vernon companies are: on Section 86, Block 11; Section 37, Block 10, West of Odell; and on the Katherine Waggoner farm on Red River, Section 26, Block 12.

La Rue Oil Company, Rogers, No. 2, drilling, 365 feet.

Noble Oil & Gas Company, Section 45, Block 14, Judd farm, location.

Beaver Farm Oil Company, Womack, 830 feet, drilling.

Harrold-Texas Oil Company, No. 1, Cochran, Sections 47 and 48, Block 13, material for two wells.

McCormack, Smith No. 1, Section 25, Block 13, drilling 980 feet.

Waggoner Colony Oil Company, Taylor, No. 1, Section 55, Block 15, drilling 1,340 feet.

Byars Farm Oil Company, Lou Byars, Section 69, Block 12, 880 feet, under-reaming.

Home Oil & Refining Company, leases on 280,000 acres, in Waggoner ranch—Guy Waggoner No. 1, Section 35, Block 1, under-reaming at 985 feet; No. 2, Guy Waggoner, material on ground; No. 1, Paul Waggoner, Section 9, Block 1, 500 feet; Nos. 4 to 12, locations.

Guyer-Trisler Oil Company, Guyer No. 1, sub-division No. 122 Waggoner Colony lands, 1,100 feet.

Neal-Hamilton, No. 1, Section 28, Block 11, spudding at 195 feet.

Putnam & Sutton, W. T. Waggoner, 3,300 acre lease, Section 23, Block 14, drilling at 980 feet.

Texas Company, Streit No. 1, Section 17, Block 19, shut down.

Gulf Production Company, No. 1, Waggoner, Section 12, Block 14, drilling at 500 feet.

Vernon Oil & Development Co., No. 1, Lowe, Section 94, Block 14 spudding.

West Vernon Oil Company, No. 1, Hart, Section 91, Block 14, drilling at 540 feet.

Kansas City Petroleum Company, No. 1, King, Section 72, Block 12, derrick.

Liberty Oil & Development Co., No. 1, Section 25, Block 13, 1,250 feet, drilling.

Pope Oil Company, No. 1, Raemat, Section 43, Block 13, drilling around 1,600 feet.

W. G. Burton, lease of 85,000 acres

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The 33 new Columbia selections for September include 1 Grand Opera song, 3 popular songs by Grand Opera stars, 5 other popular songs, 4 tenor solos, 3 tenor duets, 2 Hawaiian orchestra popular pieces, 2 instrumental novelties, 2 violin solos, 1 symphony orchestra selection in 4 parts, 1 trio, 1 quartette, and 10 dances.

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In A. B. Wharton ranch, drilling on Section 51, Block 2.

Moonshine Hill No. 1, Cobb, subdivision 76, Waggoner Colony, 1,810 feet, running five-inch casing.

The Texas Company Drilling 17 Wells.

The Texas Company on its W. T. Waggoner lease, 179 Waggoner, drilling, 1,628 feet; No. 180 rigging up; No. 184, drilling at 1,650 feet; No. 185, drilling at 1,360 feet; No. 186 drilling at 1,050 feet; No. 188, drilling at 1,700 feet; No. 189, drilling at 1,305 feet; No. 190, and 192 are derricks; No. 193, drilling at 1,270 feet; No. 194, drilling at 620 feet; No. 195, fishing at 615 feet; Nos. 196 to 200 are locations. There are approximately 100 producers in this lease in Wilbarger county.

Magnolia Petroleum Company Is Busy.

Piper lease—Section 18, Block 13, No. 29, Piper 1,560 feet drilling; No. 30, drilling at 1,680 feet; No. 30, drilling at 1,870 feet; No. 31, drilling at 700 feet; Nos. 32 and 33 are locations. There are over forty producing wells on this tract. On the Francis Sumner, Sections 17 and 28, Block 13, No. 40, drilling at 2,000 feet; No. 37, drilling at 1,860 feet. The Magnolia Company has about thirty-five producing wells on this lease. On the H. & T. C. lease Section 15, Block 13, No. 37, drilling at 1,960 feet; No. 38 drilling at 1,200 feet; Nos. 39 and 40 locations. On this tract there are thirty-two producers, according to best information obtainable.

Completions.

Magnolia Petroleum Company, No. 38, H. & T. C., 50 barrels, 1,050 feet.

Texas Company's No. 184, Waggoner, 20 barrels, 1,220 feet.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 38, H. & T. C., has been completed at 1,050 feet, and is producing fifty barrels. The Texas Company's No. 184, Waggoner, is producing twenty barrels at 1,220 feet.

Foard County After Oil.

Wilbarger-Foard Oil Company, Section 13, Block 8, Beasley, No. 1, in Foard County is 800 feet, drilling. No. 2 in a location.

Emerald Oil & Gas Company, No. 1, Herring & Johnson, is fishing at 2,800 feet.

Plainview Oil Company, No. 1, Ryan, is a derrick.

Hardeman County Is Active.

Quana-Texas, Drilling Association, No. 1, Ward, drilling.

Old Colony Petroleum Company, Neal, No. 1, lot 82, Block H, of the W. N. Ry. Co., drilling below 2,300 feet.

Great Western Petroleum Company, drilling at 800 feet.

Nee-Noo-She Oil Company, No. 1, Stewart, 495 feet.

Groesbeck, No. 1, Parks, drilling; No. 2, O'Hair, derrick.

Mid-West Oil Company, No. 1, Wheat, cleaning well.

C. & H. Oil Company, No. 1, Daniels,

drilling 400 feet.

Frizzell et al., No. 1, Norton, rigging up; No. 3, Porterfield, 375 feet, drilling; No. 2, Norton, rigging up.

Oklahoma Star Oil Company, No. 1, Neal, 2,900 feet.

Mid-West Oil Company, No. 1, Hopkins School land, spudding.

Fort Pitt Oil Company, Acme, moving machinery to location.

Guilford McCarron to Harrold.

Guilford McCarron passed through Vernon from Crowell to Harrold Thursday. He has been transferred from the Herring-Showers lumber yard at Crowell to the yard owned by that company in Harrold.

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LIBRARY GETS NEW FICTION.

Miss Newton Expects Greater Demand for Books Now That Schools Are Opening.

Miss Lillian Newton, librarian, reports the receipt of a number of volumes of fiction at the Carnegie library. She says announcement of new books always stimulates reading, and thinks that more books will be withdrawn now that schools are opening, as many teachers and pupils from Vernon and the county avail themselves of the library for reference books, as well as some leisure reading.

More books will be withdrawn, particularly by country folk, when crops are harvested, Miss Newton thinks. People in the country make liberal use of the library.

Following is a list of new books: "The Eyes of Asia," by Rudyard Kipling. All who have longed for a new Kipling book of Asia will want to read this. All the atmosphere and color of India which Mr. Kipling has made his own is here.

"Yashka, My Life as Peasant, Officer and Exile," by Maria Bochkareva, commander of the Russian women's Battalion of Death. In this book Maria Bochkareva gives graphic pictures of her battalion, the disintegration of the Russian army after the revolution of Kerensky, Lenin, Trotsky, and others. The events that she recalls are a succession so dramatically startling that they tax one's credulity.

"Pictures Every Child Should Know" contains a description of forty-eight masterpieces of art with a short biography of all of the great painters.

"Happy Jack," a new book by Thornton Burgess the author of "Red Time Story Books". It is written in language sufficiently simple for reading to kindergarten children.

"The Re-Creation of Brian Kent," by Harold Bell Wright. This is a novel of life and love in the Ozarks. Brian Kent, Auntie Sue, Judy and Betty Joe are more than creations—they are actual human beings. Over eight million copies of this thrilling novel have been sold.

"Old Dad," by Eleanor Hallowell Abbott, is just a real human story of a young girl who made friends with her own father, who turned out to be young, too. It contains a flashing picture of the tropic wonderland of the Keys of Florida with their white sands, deep blue foliage and burning blue of sky and water. Over all of it is the sparkle and swing of Eleanor Abbott's crisp, humorous, inimitable way of telling things.

"Little Folks' Land," the story of a little boy in a big world, by Madge A. Bingham. The object of this kindergarten serial is to bring to the level of the child's mind, a sense of man's social, moral and spiritual relationships. This is an excellent book for primary teachers.

"Gas, Gasoline and Oil Engines," by Frederick Collins: a volume of useful information about engines. The information given in this book is necessary to any one using an engine, whatever its type, and to any one who wants to know what kind of an engine to buy.

"Golden Stars," and other verses, by Henry Van Dyke. In this collection there are songs for the home coming warriors and for those remembered by "Golden Stars," the ode for the memorial service at Princeton University December 1918.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Hale & Berry, dealers in real estate and oil leases, has been dissolved. I have an office in the new Oil Exchange on West Pease street. List your property with me, or call on me for what you want. Quick action. Phone 98. Hip Adv. ARLE BERRY.

Buck Bradley of Burk Burnett was a visitor in Vernon Sunday.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-4c

Frank Cummins of Gainesville is in Vernon transacting business and visiting relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lyon left Sunday for Ranger to visit their son, Emmett.

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MRS. HARRY MASON HOSTESS.

Year Book Committee of Home Science Club Outlines Program for First Meeting.

Mrs. Harry Mason was hostess Friday afternoon to the year book committee of the Home Science Club. It was decided to hold the first meeting of the club the second Friday in October with Mrs. R. B. Gibson, at which time Mrs. J. E. Collins will give a history of the club. Misses Anna Joe Pendleton and Thelma Smith will read.

Mrs. Mason served a luncheon honoring Mrs. E. W. Patterson of Bellefontaine, Ohio, to the honoree, and Misses O. T. Warlick, M. G. Neathery, Carl King, J. N. Johnson, J. L. Swartwood, R. B. Gibson, W. K. Long and Lela Albright.

Fargo News.

Fargo, Sept. 15.—(By special correspondence.)—Jay Baird returned to his home in Upshaw county last week. He is a brother of Mrs. Artie Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cartwright, Dr. Cartwright, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright of Van Alstyne, made a business trip to Burk Burnett last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright have returned to their home after visiting here for several days.

Mrs. J. H. Cato, Misses Ida Belle and Vada Cato and Orr Cato are in Mineral Wells. They made the trip in their car.

Mrs. Addie Wiseman and Miss Lois Colley of Dallas returned to their home Friday after a few days visit with relatives.

W. W. Chennault, J. L. McCauley, Dr. A. T. Hays, Emmett and Frank Ketcherside, J. H. Parker, E. Davee, Oscar Tuttle, Artie Hays, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dennie, Mrs. F. M. Callum, Misses Lucille and Marie Marr, Cecil Goins, Clarence Wilhelm, Frank Mason and H. E. Key, were Vernon visitors last week.

Charlie Mason entered Decatur Baptist College last Monday. Charlie was the only boy graduate of the high school this year.

Hardy Cabe and family have moved to Vernon to live with his mother.

A family by the name of O'Bryant of Bowie have moved on the farm vacated by the Cabe's.

M. L. McDaniel and Will Swanson were Vernon visitors last week.

Charlie Bryan made a business trip to Tolbert for Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin last week.

J. L. Crisp made a business trip to Tolbert last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goins spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schlichts at Doans.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owens and family of Doans visited J. L. Crisp and family Saturday.

W. B. Paucker is hauling between Wichita Falls and Burk Burnett.

Hardy and J. T. Cabe of Vernon were visitors in the community last week.

Farmers are busy gathering feed and picking cotton.

Clyde Young left Saturday night for Austin, where he will attend the University of Texas. He will be a student in the Engineering Department.

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Only Aspirin Tablets with the safety "Bayer Cross" on them are genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," owned and made by Americans and proved safe by millions of people. Unknown quantities of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were sold recently by a Brooklyn dealer which proved to be composed mostly of talcum powder.

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Notice to Painters.

The Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, will receive bids up to 10 o'clock a. m., October 1st, 1919, to paint the outside walls, also to paint and calcimine the inside walls of the courthouse, as per specifications on file in the office of the County Judge.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This September 15, 1919.

E. L. McHUGH, County Judge.

70-2t Tues.

Rev. Rouse Closes Kirkland Meeting.

Rev. W. T. Rouse, pastor of the First Baptist Church, returned Monday from Kirkland, where he has been for a week conducting a series of revival meetings. The last service was held Sunday night. Rev. Rouse reports that, while the people in that community were extremely busy with their crops and the attendance was light, the results of the meeting were good.

Lease for Sale.

10 acres on Section 25, block 13, H. & T. C. Railway Survey; 10 acres in Subdivision 74, Waggoner Colony; 100 acres in section 74, block 12. I don't know what they are worth. If you do, make me an offer as I must sell them. Address Box 585, Vernon, Texas, 70-4c

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See THE EVERY-THING STORE.

Miss Helen Hiatt went to Dallas Sunday, where she will be a student in Powell University Training School.

Miss Laura Randall left Sunday for Denton, where she will enter the College of Industrial Arts.

Kato for your white shoes can't be beat. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-2tp

Mrs. H. A. Whiteside has rented her home on North Bowie street to E. R. Ballinger, and is joining her son, Harvey, who is employed with the Wichita Mill & Elevator Company. Mrs. Whiteside expects to live in Wichita Falls until spring.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Patterson of Bellefontaine, Ohio, have been in Vernon several days. Mr. Patterson is one of the owners of the Round Timbers Ranch north of Odell, and is looking after his property.

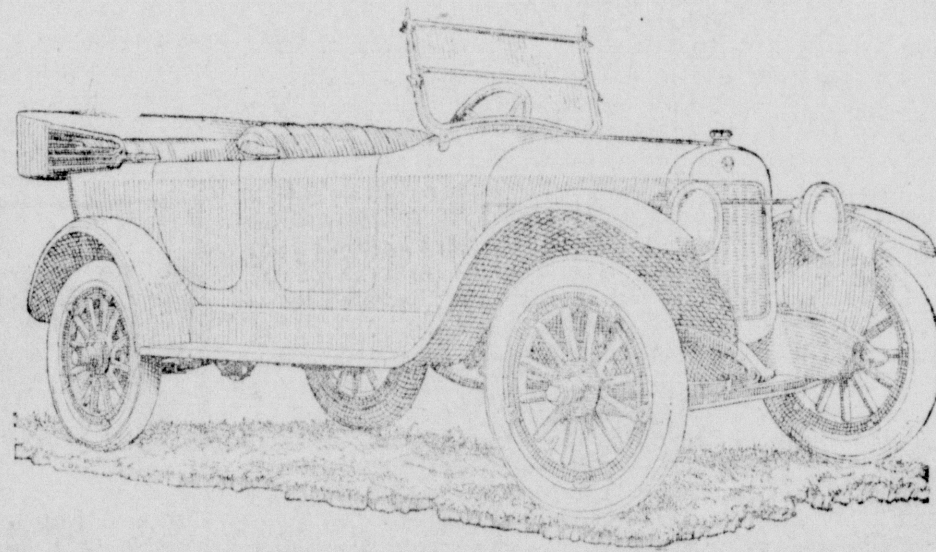


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TO LEASE—Acreage east of town, near Byars Farm well. See owner of land and save commission. B. H. Lewis. 70-2tp

POSTED NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that the R. S. Allen place nine miles north of Harrell has been posted according to law. Hunters and fishermen are warned to keep out. C. J. Ferguson, leasee. 55-48tp

I HAVE A LARGE amount of money to loan on farm lands. Long time and low rate of interest. T. P. Lisman. 29-1tc

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FOR RENT—A good south room. 412 South Mesquite street. 68-3tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, two blocks west of City Hall. Modern. Garage if desired. Mrs. J. N. Johnson. Phone 78. 70-2tp

I HAVE a very desirable room for rent. Mrs. A. A. Lloyd. Phone 300. 1tc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Phone 211. Mrs. W. M. McCaleb. 69-1tc

West Vernon News.

West Vernon, Sept. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—Dalton Blankenship of Lebanon, Tenn., has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. D. Thompson. He will return home probably Sunday night.

J. C. Anderson of Iowa Park made a short visit with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson, Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Phillips and little daughter, Vera, of Vernon spent Sunday with Mrs. Clyde Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Martin left Sunday for Louisville, Kentucky, to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert King visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barbarick of Guyer Sunday.

Miss Cleota Swim of Tolbert visited Misses Lois and Patty Thompson from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hazard are visiting friends and relatives in Clinton, Mo. They will visit in other points in Kentucky before returning home.

Mrs. R. C. Anderson went to Iowa Park Thursday to make a short visit with her daughter, Miss Lora Anderson, also son, J. C. Anderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joseph of Dawson Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Cook Sunday.

Money to Loan.

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Bass King Building Modern Home.

Bass King of Oklahoma has let the contract to F. A. Sabie for the construction of a modern home on his lots on West Paradise street. The residence will be modern in every respect and equipped with all conveniences. Mr. King will move to Vernon as soon as the residence is completed.

Staley to Build on West Wilbarger.

C. R. Staley has bought some lots on West Wilbarger street from J. R. Renfro and will build a modern home. The residence will be on the airplane hangar-style and thoroughly modern. The house complete will cost about 15,000. Tom Skipworth has charge of the carpenter work.

Blanchard Moves to Chillicothe.

J. J. Blanchard and family have moved from their farm near Tolbert to Chillicothe. Mr. Blanchard will engage in some kind of business in that city.

Ice Cream Social at Oklahoma.

The Domestic Science Club of Oklahoma will have an ice cream supper Friday evening. Plenty of ice cream and a good time are promised by the ladies to all who come.

G. L. Hamm's Sister Dead.

G. L. Hamm returned Friday from Tennessee where he had been to attend the funeral of his sister. Death came following a long spell of illness.

Building Houses for Employees.

The Vernon Cotton Oil Company is building four houses near its plant in North Vernon. These will be occupied by employees. One of the houses will have four rooms. Three of them will have two rooms each.

Chillicothe Man Moves Here.

J. G. Bryant of route 1 Chillicothe has moved to Vernon. He is living on Maiden street. Mr. Bryant had his record changed to keep up with events in Vernon and the county.

W. C. T. U. With Mrs. A. P. Howard.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Mrs. A. P. Howard on East Wilbarger street at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The officers urge that members be present promptly.

F. F. Phillips of Amarillo visited relatives in Vernon Thursday.

FOR SALE

WILL TRADE Houston, Texas, lot, value \$550 for good used car or Vernon property. G. W. Turay, 718 East Tease street. 68-3tp

FOR SALE—A 3-room house and lot in East Vernon. Will take a span of mules or horses in part payment. Also a good car for sale. Will take a span of mules or horses in part payment. H. Hildebrandt. 67-8tp

FOR SALE—Good six-room residence, close in, price right. Address owner, Box 187. 62-1tc

FOR SALE—One five-room house, 80 by 160 foot lot. Good out buildings. Terms reasonable; reason for selling, leaving state. See J. T. Martin, West Wanderer street. 68-4tp

FOR SALE—The best half section of land in Wilbarger county, right smack dab between two deep test wells, not over two miles away. The improvements cost \$15,000. Will sacrifice for \$200 per acre. Land worth the money. See C. S. McCulloch. Other bargains for the "top waters." See me. 70-2tc

NEARLY NEW 4-room house and four lots near the high school. Price \$2750. Half cash. P. O. Box 824. 1tp

GOOD 4-ROOM house and two lots close in. Price \$1500; half cash. P. O. Box 824. 1tp

FOR SALE—With or without oil and gas rights, 200 acres in Paradise Heights Addition to Vernon, Section 45, block 12. Ideal location for oil well on town-site. Already plotted. Overlooks best home town in Texas. Bids for land or lease appreciated. Terms to suit, at 8 per cent. D. R. Britt, Roswell, N. M. 70-4tp

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one or three sections of land. Part of it can be irrigated at a small cost. Also will lease 165 acres for oil at \$10 per acre. W. M. Boger, Tolbert. 66-16tp

Livestock and Poultry

FOR SALE—I still have some good mules and horses and mares for sale. Do not need them and don't want to feed them through the winter. J. A. Creager, Oklahoma, Texas. 69-4tp

FOR SALE—S. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels, April hatched. \$2. Mrs. S. T. Porterfield, Tolbert, Texas. 70-4tp

FOR SALE—Six mule colts. These are good ones. One mile east and three miles north of Tolbert. J. H. Freudig. 70-4tp

FOR SALE—Good team work horses; ages 4 and 5 years. See M. Crowover, Odell. 68-3tp

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—One Milwaukee row binder, practically new. Would consider some trade, cows or young mules. S. E. Gunn, 3 miles southeast of Rayland, Texas. 68-3tp

FOR SALE—Fine Cord Casings and Tubes complete. One five-passenger Paige auto top; one five-passenger Paige; this car is in perfect condition, equipped with new casings and tubes, closed top with silk draw curtains. Good values at bargain prices for cash. W. A. Atchison. 70-2tp

FOR OIL RIGS see W. J. Doane of Gamage & Doane Supply Company, care of Stock Exchange, Childress, Texas. 70-2tp

FOR SALE—C. G. Conn Cornet, at a bargain. A very fine instrument. Wallace Balrd. 1t

PEARS FOR SALE at my orchard two and one-half miles east of Odell, \$1 a bushel. Mrs. J. J. Fain. 1tc

FOR SALE—Practically new Ford truck. This truck was used for a few days only and traded to us on a heavier truck. A bargain if taken at once. Works Auto & Supply Co. 1tc

FOR SALE—1918 touring car, or will trade for household goods. Call at J. H. Byrd's, North Bowie street. 69-3tp

FOR SALE—Five-passenger Dodge car. In good condition. Good tires. Call at White Garage. 69-3tc

FOR SALE—Some good pears for sale at \$1 per bushel at J. F. White's orchard, 10 miles north of Vernon. 68-3tp

FOR SALE—Gin plant in good condition. J. R. White, Tolbert, Rt. 1. 68-3tp

WANTED

WANTED—Oratory class for this school term. Prefer the older pupils. For terms, phone 436. Mrs. J. B. Lecompte at Jim Dyer's residence. 67-4t

WANTED—To rent, a 150-acre farm or smaller. See or write R. F. Pannell, Elberta, Texas. 68-3tp

BRING ME your second hand furniture and get the highest market price. A. C. Hahn. 26-1tc

WANTED—To buy several hundred bushels of corn delivered at my place three miles from Vernon. T. J. Sumner. 68-2tc

WANTED—The Standard Farm Tractor Company of Dallas, who build a three-pow tractor and a new and highly successful motor driven row cultivator, wants an active dealer in Vernon for Wilbarger county and offer an excellent proposition to any one interested. Call on Carroll Smith, Room 31, Vernon Hotel. 70-2tp

WANTED—3 unfurnished rooms or would rent a house. Phone 647 or call R. E. Hanks, Bailey Hotel. 70-2tp

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WANTED—Boy who is willing to work and deliver. Must be able to ride bicycle. B. & W. Drug Co. 70-2tc

WANTED—A girl or woman helper, permanent place for the right kind, good wages. Phone 95. Mrs. C. R. Staley. 62-1tc

C. P. Smith of Oklahoma City is in Vernon visiting relatives and transacting business.

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STRAYED—Black mare mule, 3 years old, 14 hands, 2 inches high. Return to New Wagon Yard and get reward from Dr. N. C. Fike. W. A. Bruce. 68-3tp

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Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here's Vernon testimony.

Verify it if you wish.

Mrs. E. L. Ballew, 215 S. Violet street, says: "I am always glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. This medicine has been used in my family for some time. Just a short time ago my kidneys were causing me much trouble. They were weak and irregular in action. My back also ached. I began the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and before long they had cured me of the trouble. Another of my family has also received wonderful results from this medicine."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Ballew had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. 46-1t

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Our derrick is up on the Star land in Section 7, Block 15, Wilbarger County, Texas. We will drill 2,500 feet unless oil or gas in paying quantities is found at a lesser depth.

We are offering 50,000 shares of stock for sale at \$1.00 per share. We are NOT like some, offering you a SURE THING, but we think we have a good chance for oil, and the drill is the only sure way of telling.

Our present location is within three hundred yards of where two 1280 foot wells were drilled several years ago on the Covert land. Oil was reported found in both wells.

All money received from the sale of stock is placed in The First Guaranty State Bank of Vernon to be used for development and expense of company.

Write or call C. W. HARVEY, Secretary, care of First Guaranty State Bank, or Vernon Hotel.

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At 1 O'clock, New Time

consisting of the following described articles:

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| 1 span mules, 15 hands high, good workers. | 2 Canton lister planters. |
| 3 head horses. | 1 2-section drag harrow. |
| 8 cows and calves. | 2 go-devils. |
| 1 farm wagon. | 1 stalk cutter. |
| 2 cultivators, in good condition. | 1 Canton sulky plow. |
| | Lot of household furniture. |

A world of other articles, such as hay forks, seed forks, shovels, hoes, rakes, single trees, double trees. In fact, everything must go in this sale regardless of cost.

Remember, your price is mine today. Don't forget the date, **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, at ONE o'clock sharp.**

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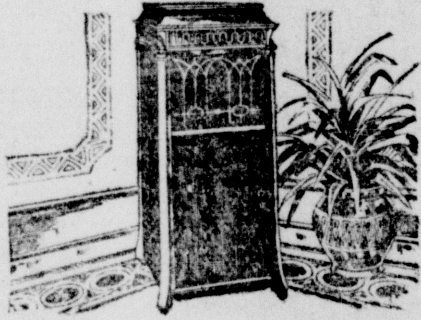
It is impossible to have all kinds of vocal and instrumental artists in your home to sing and play for you when you want them, but it is possible to have RE-CREATED music your home which cannot be distinguished from the original.

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B. & W. DRUG CO.

Perry Howard left Friday night for Columbia, Tenn., where he goes to attend the Columbia Military Institute during the 1919-20 session.

If you haven't a Kodak of your own, we will loan you one free. If you want to buy, we sell the Eastman line Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-4c

Just received a car load of White Crest flour. Satisfaction guaranteed. D. C. Matthews, West Texas street, 70-34c Adv.

Lot 60 1-2 by 200 feet on West Texas street, north front. A bargain if taken at once. J. R. Love, Telephone 625, 62-4c Adv.

Joe Keys of Chillicothe was a visitor in Vernon Sunday.

I have buyers for suburban city property. Vacant acreage property at right prices preferred. Either call phone No. 617 or call at my office. J. R. Jones, Agent, Ferguson building, North Main Street. 55-4c

LITTLE CHANCE IS OFFERED FARMERS FOR MOVING WHEAT

While Railroad Men Say Traffic Congestion Is Being Cleared Up Somewhat, Manager of Kell Milling Company Says Movement Will Be Immaterial Before October 1—No Buying.

The farmers of Wilbarger county have thousands of dollars tied up in an immense wheat crop that they can not market but are forced to store in granaries and wherever they can find room as a result of the continuation of the embargo on grain to ports of exportation. Many farmers who have spent their last dollar for harvesting expenses are now obtaining living expenses by mortgages on their grain.

The traffic congestion in this section has been somewhat relieved, according to local railroad men, but the Railroad Administration is persistent in its refusal to issue permits for the shipment of grain to Gulf ports. Local elevators are full and dealers have been out of the market for several weeks.

Some relief to the holders of grain is promised in a message from D. F. Plazek, vice president of the United States Grain Commission, to H. B. Dorsey, secretary of the Texas Grain Dealers Association. The text of the message follows:

"A careful survey of the situation at both Gulf ports and of wheat flowing in that direction and also a careful review of the vessel tonnage available at the Gulf for the next six weeks, leads us to the opinion that we can suggest to the Railroad Administration lifting the embargo on Galveston this week to the extent of relieving the particularly distressed situation in territory dependent upon Gulf for outlet."

Mr. Dorsey believes this means that only the distressed cases will be taken care of. According to his interpretation of the message, relief will be given to a point where all elevators are filled and cars loaded on the track, with heating wheat involved. He also believes a case where farmers have grain unprotected on the ground, as a result of the embargo, would come under the distressed condition.

J. A. Birdsong, manager of the Kell Milling Company here, does not believe Mr. Plazek's message is definite enough to give any assurance of relief for some time yet. "It is my opinion that the embargo will not be lifted, so as to be of any material benefit, before October 1," Mr. Birdsong says.

OKLAHOMA SCHOOL OPENS

About 100 Pupils Hear Talks by Patrons, County Agent and County Superintendent.

A number of the patrons were present and made interesting speeches at the opening of the Oklahoma school Monday. Addresses were also delivered by County Superintendent J. N. Fulcher and County Agent N. R. Tisdal. The session opened with an attendance of about 100.

W. M. Gourley is principal and his assistants are: Mrs. J. W. Stringer and Misses Winnie Porterfield, Annie Burlsmith and Janie Boyle.

New Correspondent at Fargo.

Misses Janie and Willie Green of Route 1, Tolbert, will be representatives of The Record for Fargo, succeeding Mrs. D. J. Wilhelm. Mrs. Wilhelm has been correspondent for The Record for a long time and has made the paper many friends. It is with regret that she is lost to the news gathering staff. However, a multitude of duties make it seem impossible for her to keep up the work. The Record will appreciate any courtesies shown the Misses Green, and any news items given them.

Mrs. Works and Daughters Home.

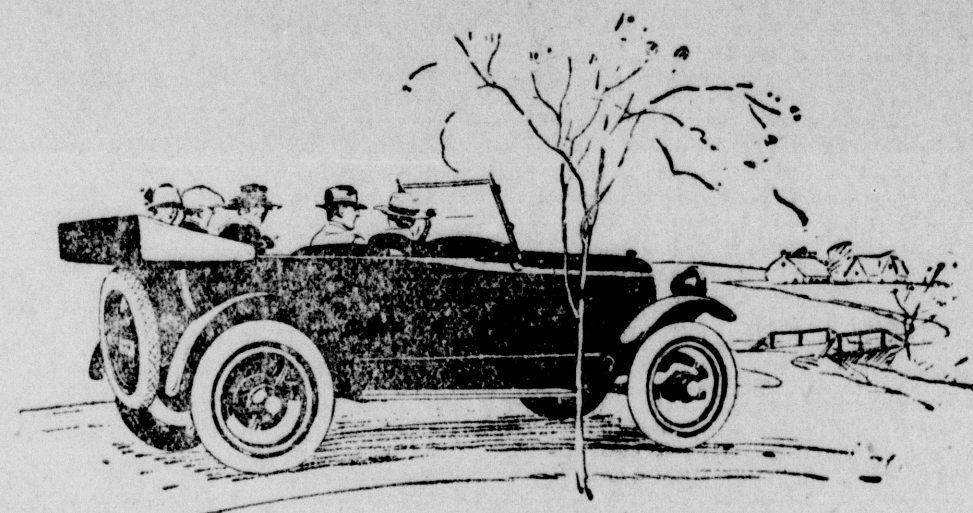
Misses A. M. and G. A. Works and J. M. Willis and Misses Bennie and Iva Works have returned from Colorado Springs, where they have been spending the summer. The former two returned Saturday night. Others of the party arrived last night. Mrs. Willis and Miss Bennie Works will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Works for several days before returning to their home in Ardmore, Okla.

Grand Jury Re-Convened.

The grand jury which reconvened yesterday for the purpose of considering the cases of Willie Lewis, colored, charged with forgery; and Joe Wright, charged with shooting Wm. Shultz, is still in session. The petit jury for the week has been dismissed until Thursday and the court is now busy with civil cases.

Have your old shoes made new. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-21p

John Stephens expects to leave today for Clarendon to enter Clarendon College for the year.



PAIGE

The Most Beautiful Car in America

Values

The measure of value in an automobile is the service and comfort it provides.

On that basis we offer the Paige five-passenger Linwood as the best value for all-around family use that the market affords.

It is a thoroughly "sensible" car from the standpoint of both first cost and operating expense.

PAIGE-DETROIT MOTOR CAR CO., DETROIT, MICHIGAN

WORKS AUTO & SUPPLY CO.
NORTH MAIN STREET, VERNON, TEXAS

Visit Our Mattress Display.

A display room has been opened by Price's Mattress Factory at 203 West Wilbarger street—next door to the factory. You are invited to visit our display of new mattresses. We also make over your old mattress and give it a new lease on life.

PRICE'S MATTRESS FACTORY,
201 West Wilbarger Street. Phone No. 453. Adv. 38-4c

L. L. Drury of Olmsted, Okla., is in Vernon on business Friday.

N. M. Piper of Harrold was a business visitor in Vernon Saturday.

BATTENDORF'S

CHIROPRACTORS
Denny Building Phone 103

L. P. JOUETT

Service Car Anywhere.
Country Drives a Specialty
Phone No. 19

I DON'T WORK BOYS

Bring me your car troubles and I will treat you fair. I do my own work and guarantee satisfaction. I don't work boys and charge mechanic prices.
FREEMAN'S CASH SHOP
In Todd's old blacksmith shop.
Phone No. 501

OIL LEASES

We buy and sell leases on acreage anywhere in Wilbarger County. See us at Oil Exchange Building.
WEBB & ROGERS.

Miss Annah Joe Pendleton

TEACHER OF EXPRESSION

Studio 327 West Texas Street Phone 50.

69-4tp.

Just Received a Big Car of Real Up-to-Date Furniture

Consisting of Bed Room, Dining Room and Living Room Suits. They are beauties, and it will pay you well to see them before you buy.

Our Rug stock is very complete; we have some very beautiful patterns, ranging in price from \$16.00 up as high as you wish to go.

Remember these goods were all bought some time past, so you will get the benefit of an early buy if you will come before they are all gone.

If you will just follow the crowd to Youngblood's store you will see who is selling the furniture in Vernon.

Come early while you can get what you want at the price you wish to pay.

Yours truly

T. J. YOUNGBLOOD

OUR BOAST

RED STAR FLOUR

PETRINGS COFFEE

RED STAR FLOUR is sold on quality alone. It costs a little more than any flour manufactured. Hotels, Cafes, and Bakeries all over the country as well as in Vernon demand it.

PETRINGS COFFEE is one of the highest grades of Coffee to be had. We can save the consumer from five to ten cents per pound, because we buy direct from the importer. No other store in Vernon has such connections.

WE ARE SELLING

Large Crisco	- - -	\$ 2.35
Small Crisco	- - -	1.25
Comb Honey 10 lbs., South Texas,		2.50
Comb Honey 5 lbs., South Texas		1.30
Creamery Butter, Brookfield, 15 oz.		.60
Sweet Corn No. 2, extra standard		.20
Kerosene, 5 gallons,	- - -	.65

WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES ON ALL CURED MEATS

We deliver bills of \$5.00 or more every morning, but do not make deliveries in afternoon.

BROWN'S CASH GROCERY

EVERY THING IN DRUGS

Maybe you have a special formula or remedy, a good old standard family compound which you would like to have prepared?

Remember that we sell DRUGS, and in DRUGS we sell the best, and in selling you the best we save you the most money in that we give you the best medicinal results. Send us your DRUG orders. We want to fill your prescriptions.

LET OUR DRUG STORE BE YOUR DRUG STORE.

"Connect your home with a reliable drug store."

The Vernon Drug Store
The Rexall Quality Store

FIRST DAY COUNTY FAIR DESIGNATED "SOLDIERS' DAY"

October 1 Will Also Be "Vernon Day" at Local Celebration—Plans Will Be Made at Meeting of Ex-Military Men Saturday Week When Post of American Legion Will Be Formed.

R. H. Coffee, manager of the Wilbarger County Fair, has announced that the first day of the fair, which is Wednesday, October 1, will be "Soldiers' Day." Wednesday will also be "Vernon Day" and many special attractions are planned.

No definite program has yet been arranged for this day, but the matter will be thoroughly discussed at the meeting of ex-military men, called to gather at the court house Saturday September 27, for the purpose of organizing a post of the American Legion in Wilbarger county. The day will probably open with a monster parade of the discharged men of the county, after which special features will be staged during the entire day. It is urged that every ex-army man in the county be present at the meeting in order that the final details of the parade may be arranged. Co-operation of the citizenship of the county is asked in notifying the soldiers of the meeting.

A further reason for a full attendance Saturday at the meeting is that a good representation is specially desired at the organization of the Legion post. J. A. Story has been appointed organizer for this county. The American Legion is a National organization with which the local post will be affiliated. President Wilson signed the bill authorizing its incorporation while on board his special train.

Wildcat News.

Wildcat, Sept. 17.—(By special correspondence.)—The farmers are all through threshing and are gathering their feedstuff, which is very good. It will be more than a week before cotton is ready to pick.

The protracted meeting, which was to have been held here by Rev. R. V. Tooley was postponed. Bro. Tooley found it impossible to be here now as he had to hold several more meetings before coming here. He thinks he can hold it in three or four weeks.

School started Monday morning with Miss Leola Smith of Fargo teacher.

Mack Fulton came in from Claude where he has been working with the thrasher. Marvin Howell is still on the plains with the thrasher.

Our community's last soldier boy to return was Howard M. Chadwick who came in Saturday. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick and had been in service thirteen months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chadwick of Vernon spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Morehead and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Leverett of the Lockett community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Nunn.

Miss Annie Nunn has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Maggie Bolton of Hinds. She and Mrs. Bolton returned to Mrs. Will Nunn's Monday.

Miss Alta Lee Curry is real sick this week.

I. G. Luttrell had the misfortune of losing three head of horses last week. They broke into his maize.

TO PAINT COURTHOUSE.

Work of Remodeling Inside of Building Held Up by Shortage of Workmen.

County Judge E. L. McHugh is advertising for bids proposing to paint the outside and calcimine the inside of the courthouse. The bids will be received on October 1. The specifications are on file in his office.

The work of remodeling the interior in preparation for moving the office of the collector and assessor from the northeast to the northwest room has been temporarily delayed on account of inability to secure workmen. The change is being made in order that the room at present occupied by these officers may be available for the use of the county clerk.

BUYS INTEREST IN REFINERY.

G. A. Works and Associates Will Lay Pipe Line to Iowa Park Plant.

G. A. Works of Vernon and associates of Wichita Falls have purchased an interest in the New Era Refining Company at Iowa Park. They are laying a pipe line from their holdings in the Burk Burnett field to the refinery, and are building loading racks at Iowa Park.

These improvements will enable them to get their oil out, despite the congestion in the Burk Burnett field.

QUARTER SECTION SOLD FOR \$20,000

J. H. COOK EXPECTS TO MAKE ALFALFA FARM OUT OF 160 ACRES.

Twenty thousand dollars is the price paid by J. H. Cook for the southeast quarter of section 114, block 14, H. & T. C. R.'s survey. The land was bought from J. H. Frendiger through Thompson & Richardson.

Mr. Cook recently sold his place north of Vernon, and will move to the quarter just purchased, which is southwest of Vernon and adjoining the tract on which the Vernon Oil & Development Company is digging its well. He expects to make an alfalfa farm out of the land, which is sub-irrigated.

Thompson & Richardson also sold

A. J. Carpenter the northeast quarter of block 47, South Addition to Vernon. Mr. Carpenter is a teacher in the public schools, and expects to build a home. This property was purchased from L. E. Fisher.

RETURNS FROM GREENVILLE WHERE MOTHER DIED.

Mrs. S. P. McKinney returned Tuesday morning from Greenville, where she had been to attend the funeral of her mother, who died on Sunday September 7, after having been seriously ill for about ten days. She had not been in good health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. McKinney were called to the bedside of her parent on Saturday but death came before their arrival. The former returned within a day or two but the latter remained for a several days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Wichita Falls are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones.

Dudley Miller to Houston.

Dudley Miller has resigned his position in H. F. McKibbin's dry goods store and has gone to Houston where he expects to enter a Dental College.

Judge G. W. Walthall was a business visitor from Crowell Wednesday.

We specialize on Buicks, Paiges, Hudsons and in fact all other big cars. I don't work boys and charge you mechanic prices. All work guaranteed to be first class at Freeman's Cash Shop, located in the old Key blacksmith shop, north Main street, Vernon, Texas. Adv. 60-51c

OIL LEASES, STOCKS, ROYALTIES REAL ESTATE, ETC.

High grade Leases adjacent to several TEST WELLS in famous RED RIVER BEND in Wilbarger County at reasonable prices.

Prompt SERVICE guaranteed those who LIST oil and gas leases, and other properties for sale.

See or write,

HUIE, MATTHEWS & McDANIEL
ODELL, TEXAS

IT'S GETTING DRY

(No reference to prohibition.)

Your wheat and oats are liable to burn in the field. I can "KIVER" you in shocks, stacks or granaries, at a very small price. See me.

C. S. McCOLLOCH

MAP OF WILBARGER COUNTY

The original "OWNER'S NAME" map of Wilbarger County and shows everything North of the Waggoner lands, (530,000 acres.)

270,000 acres belonging to W. T. Waggoner will be to lease December 7, 1919.

Wilbarger County is next to top on oil development in Texas; already has large production and about 40 locations drilling or getting ready.

For copy of this map, write

R. L. MORE

Vernon, Texas

Fall Dress-Up



For this important event we have made very special preparations. From the best the market affords we selected the Newest Styles as developed in the most Favored Fabrics.

The value of this collection in guiding you in the correct choosing of apparel for Fall and Winter can only be appreciated by a review of our offerings.

You can make Dress Up Time an occasion of real import if you come to this store now.

Coats, Suits and Dresses

New in Style - - Charming in Appearance

Coats of the Latest Designs are Well Displayed

They are representative of Fashion's most favored Modes developed in the newest materials.

The pleasure of seeing them is well worth a shopping trip. Some designs are shown this week for the first time.

\$12.50 to \$98.50

Separate Skirts Are Very Stylish

Pronounced by all who have seen them to be of surpassing beauty. Especially well interpreted are the fashion-straight lines. Colors and fabrics are very Autumn like and becoming.

\$7.50 to \$24.50



The Smartest Suits are Fur Trimmed

All models are extremely smart in line but the newest style is most marked in those which are trimmed with Fur.

Untrimmed Suits are shown for those who prefer to wear separate Fur Scarfs.

\$29.50 to \$124.50

Be Sure to See the New Dresses

To many these Dresses will appear as the climax of our entire display. Dainty materials formed in a great variety of charming styles offer the most alluring reasons for choosing here.

\$19.50 to \$69.50.



Very New are the Smaller Dress Accessories

But equally important too, for they bring into relief the refinement of dress as nothing else can. Our assortments are ample to provide for your every desire.

Perkins-Timberlake Co.
ASSOCIATED STORES

RIDDING POULTRY YARD OF COOTIES IS NECESSARY WORK



Old lady hen doesn't object to scratching for a living, but she balks on scratching for worms all day and then having to scratch all night at vermin which delight in strolling over her during the era of darkness. 'Tis a pity that returned soldiers who fought cooties in France can not be converted into poultrymen, as without doubt they would work overtime in promoting hen comfort by battling and routing lice and mites from the flocks.

Fowl lice and mites reduce egg production, hinder the growth and reduce the quality of flesh of all classes of poultry. Mites are particularly bad among farm fowl, as these blood-sucking insects often gain a firm foothold in the flock before the farmer is aware of their presence. The hens become irritable and decline in egg production and healthy condition as a result of losing blood to the mites. In heavy infested coops it is not unusual for the chickens to become droopy and weak, with the pale combs and watery eyes. Sitting hens desert their nests and thus ruin the eggs, while in extreme cases they are found dead on the nests, being killed outright by the attack of thousands of mites. The mites feed almost entirely at night except that they attack hens on the nests during the daytime. They secrete themselves in cracks and crevices around the chicken house during the day, and hence their presence often is overlooked until a heavy infestation has developed.

Rout Mites From Roosts.
In controlling mites it is first of all essential to drive the pests from the roosts, nests, and interior of the poultry house, which should be sprayed with a mixture of one part kerosene to four parts of crude petroleum. Ordinarily one application is sufficient but as an extra precaution it is advisable to spray a second time about one month after the first treatment. Poultry should be kept out of the treated buildings until the material has well dried into the wood.

Arsenical dip as a spray, such as is used to destroy cattle ticks, is also fairly satisfactory as a control for chicken mites; several applications are required to eradicate the mites from the poultry roosts. The mites which cause scaly leg usually can be eradicated by applying crude petroleum to the legs with a brush or dipping them into this oil. One treatment is usually enough, although in severe cases it may be repeated at the end of 30 days. Chiggers, which are bad on poultry in the Southern and Central States, are controlled to a certain extent by dusting the chickens with flowers of sulphur, and where the fenced range is infested the application of 50 pounds of sulphur an acre with a dust blower aids in eradicating these pests.

Lice Like to Live on Poultry.
If poultry escape infestations of mites they are still exposed to visitations from lice, which, unlike the mites, remain constantly with the fowl. More than 40 different kinds of lice attack domestic fowls and feed on portions of the feathers or on scales from the skin, their presence in any considerable number resulting in serious injury.

Throughout the Southern States the loss due to lice probably is the greatest among young chickens. Chickens hatched after April 1 and brooded by hens experience a high mortality much of which appears to be due directly to lice, the insects being transmitted from the mother to her young. Body lice, head lice, and feather lice like the three musketeers, usually are on the lookout for trouble, and lots of it.

Sodium fluorid means sure and instantaneous death to poultry lice, and in either the dust or dip form it is the practical control. This material in the dust form is applied by the "pinch" method, which consists in holding the fowl by the legs or wing in one hand, while with the other hand a small pinch of the chemical is placed on the head, one on the neck, two on the back, one on the breast, one on the tail, one near the vent, one on either thigh, and one on the underside of each wing when spread. This material may also be applied in a shaker consisting of a tin can with nail holes punched in the bottom, the

bers on turkeys, but it sometimes becomes sufficiently abundant to cause considerable irritation and doubtless is injurious both to the grown fowls and to the young. The shaft louse of chickens also has been found on turkeys, but probably does not breed on that host. The other two species seem to be native to the turkey, probably existing on this fowl in the wild state. The large turkey louse probably is most abundant. It occurs on the feathers on various parts of the body, especially on the neck and breast. The slender turkey louse is a species of good size, though rather elongate, resembling in shape the head louse of chickens. Normally neither of these species is excessively abundant, but on crippled or unthrifty turkeys they may cause serious annoyance and undoubtedly they are injurious to poultry.

For Sale.
Oil leases of 1,500 acres, solid body. Oil leases near locations, derricks now up; have lease of various sizes in all parts of county. 10,000 acre improved ranch, all tillable, at \$16.00 per acre; 5,000 acres well improved and watered land, all tillable but 500 acres. Price \$16.00. See J. E. Lutz. 46-1f

J. E. Prince Buys East Texas Home.
Euclid Renfro has sold a home on East Texas street to J. E. Prince. Mr. Prince bought the property as an investment. The deal was negotiated by J. R. Jones.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-1f

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Haley of Wichita Falls are in Vernon visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawkins.

PICKERS FROM EAST TEXAS.

Cotton Pickers Are Plentiful in Belt Stricken by Boll Worms, J. C. Wilson Says.

J. C. Wilson returned Wednesday morning from Dallas, where he had been in search for cotton pickers. He brought back six negroes and five white people. He is paying \$1.50 a hundred and furnishing his hands a place to live. Mr. Wilson says that hands are plentiful in the East Texas country, where the cotton has been ruined by the boll worms. He believes the only solution to the cotton picking problem is by going to this section and bringing the men back. In that way, only, can farmers be sure that they will not accept work before reaching here or fall into the hands of men from further west who are seeking help.

The continued dry weather has opened up the staple rapidly and a number of farmers were on the streets every day last week looking for hands. At the rate the cotton has opened during the last few days, farmers believe the staple will all be gathered within the next two or three months, provided sufficient hands can be obtained.

Notice to Public.
My office is with the Smith Auto Sales Company, east side of square, in the McDonald old barn. My day phone is 647 and residence 207. 67-4f Adv. DR. E. BARNES.

Let Me Move Your House.
I am prepared to move any kind of wooden building and exercise greatest care. My work is guaranteed. Find me at Cameron Lumber Yard. Phone 93. 80-8f Adv. T. P. ADDISON.

Fresh Vegetables

We will receive all kinds of fresh vegetables twice a week—on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Phone in your order early and get the pick.

WILLIAMS-MOORE GROCERY CO.

Vernon, Texas

Phone 79

FOR SALE

One complete standard string of tools, heavy California outfit, including engine, boiler, Ginch rig irons and all rig timbers cut, framed and ready to set up. This outfit is new and on board car at Cisco. \$11,000 for quick sale.

See

A. W. LONGWORTH

Vernon Hotel, or 103 Lutz Building, Dallas, Texas

If the Price is Right

It is practically sold if you list your property with us. For quick, efficient, honest and courteous real estate service, see us at once for we have several clients who need homes. Will you help us supply their needs?

A Real, Real Estate Bargain.

A good sandy land 160-acre farm, fine improvements, 100 acres in cultivation, 40 acres in cotton, 60 acres in corn and maize, 2 teams, all tools for \$55.00 per acre. This land is 7 miles from Kirkland in Garden Valley.

BLACKWOOD, LARIMORE & OATES

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CHICKENS

We will pay the following for Chickens till further notice:

Hens, per pound	20c
Springs, per pound	20c
Young Roosters	12c
Old Roosters	10c

White Produce Co.

Phone 286

North Main

Remember.

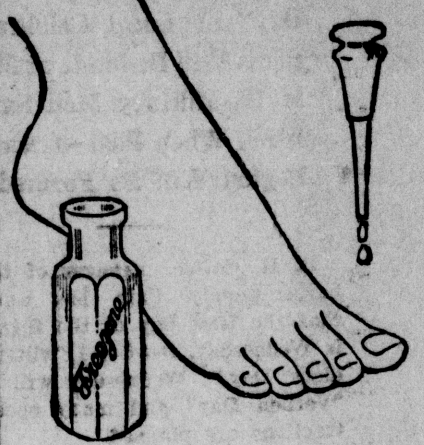
If you are looking for the best store in town, either to keep you warm or to do your baking, see J. R. Renfro, 71-1f

Try one sack of White Crest flour and you will never use any other kind. For sale at D. C. Matthews' grocery store on West Texas street. Adv. 70-3f

Subscribe for the Record.

LIFT OFF CORN

Apply few drops then lift touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corns stop hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful. 15-1f Fri.

HAYNES To see it is to love it

A Haynes user knows what a Haynes automobile means. There are more than 20,000 in use today. No safer guarantee is there than the tried and tested judgment of such a large number of astute investors.

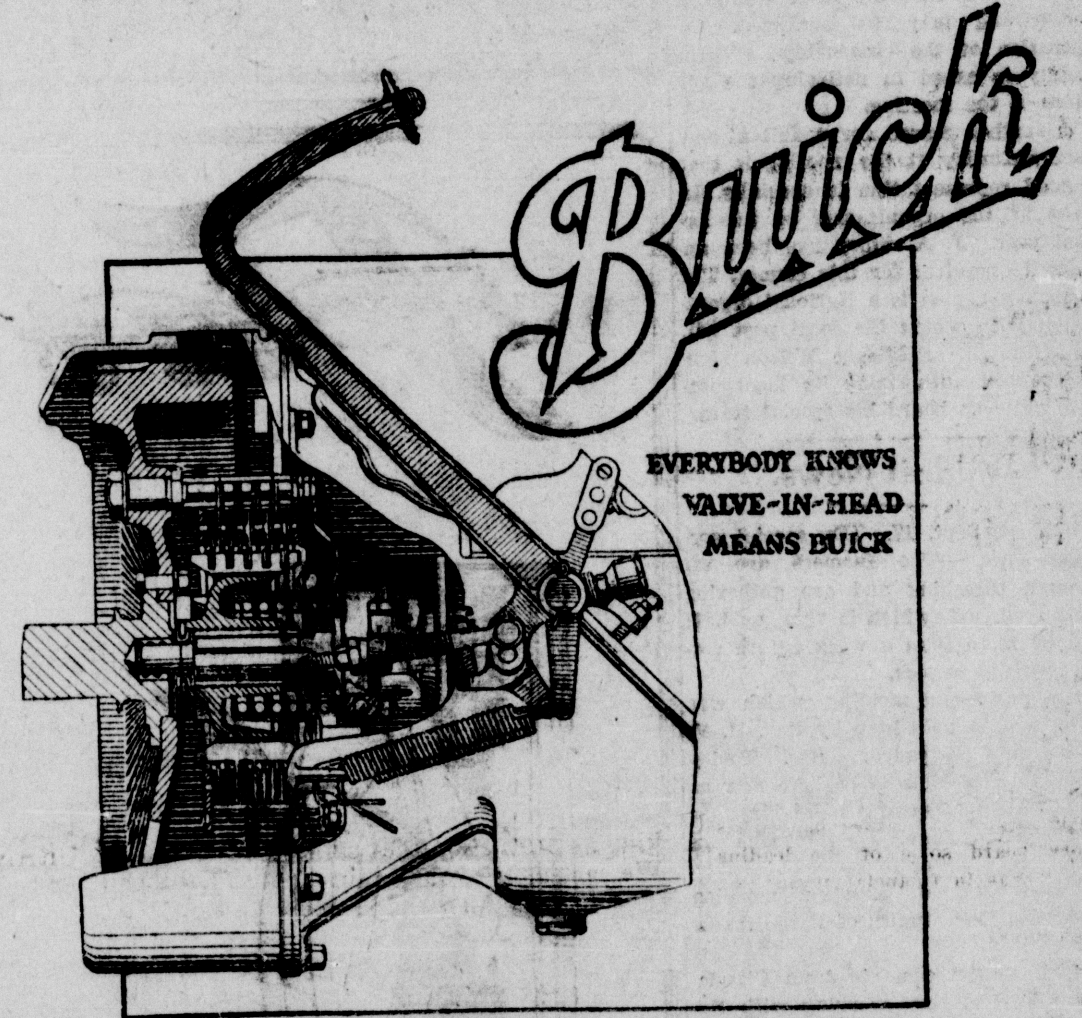
Let us show you the Haynes Character Car. Telephone 471 and have us bring it to your door.

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Haynes Cars

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The Buick Dry Plate Clutch

The exclusive patented features of the Buick disc clutch minimize the effort and skill necessary in gear shifting, and at the same time provide a clutch that is absolutely smooth and positive in operation. Under this patented construction, the heavy rotating parts of the clutch are carried by the flywheel and only the very light parts are carried by the transmission, which accounts for the transmission gears not spinning after clutch is disengaged, thus preventing the clashing of gears in shifting from one speed to another.

The slightest pressure of the foot will disengage this smooth acting Buick clutch, which makes it especially popular with women drivers and those who drive much in congested traffic.

When Better Automobiles Are Built BUICK Will Build Them

ROBINSON MOTOR COMPANY

PECK BLDG. NORTH MAIN ST. VERNON, TEXAS

Plant that dollar in the bank today

YOU can't expect a crop of money at the end of your earning season if you don't plant a few dollars in the bank NOW.

LIFE is just a matter of farming—of finding a fertile soil in a good field—of breaking ground and being patient. The harvesting comes last—the main work must be done while the least results are showing.—Herbert Kaufman.

THE FARMERS STATE BANK
VERNON TEXAS

ME TO WED BUT LOOK GIRL'S PURSE

MODERN ROMEO GOES TO OKLAHOMA WHEN CEREMONY IS POSTPONED.

Sheriff W. A. Ish tells a story of romance that culminated several days ago in the arrest of the would-be groom on a charge of having absconded with his fiancée's purse.

The young man and the young lady he chose as his life's help-mate journeyed to Vernon from a county further to the west for the purpose of having the ceremony performed. They arrived in the city Monday afternoon but the Romeo wished to defer the momentous step until the following day to give time for the arrival of his "Sunday-go-to-meeting" clothes from Wichita Falls. Like the Lochinvar that he was, the would-be benedict gallantly offered to stand sponsor for the safe keeping of the lady's purse during the night, which offer was graciously accepted.

With thoughts of a married life that would be "happy ever after" the bride-to-be departed for her room there to dream of her hero in a life and death struggle. If need be, to protect her property against burglars. The hero went to his room thoroughly convinced that he was getting a girl who would be entirely willing for him to manage the money of the family.

But oh, the awakening! Tuesday morning the man was not to be found. Nor was the purse forgotten. Officers were notified and the man was arrested in Frederick within a few hours.

Mr. Ish notified the officers in Oklahoma that if the money was returned the matter would be dropped. The purse contained about \$26.

JOY RIDERS MAIM CAMPER'S MULE

FORD NEVER STOPPED AFTER HITTING ANIMAL NEAR OKLAHOMA.

What appears to be criminal carelessness of a party driving a Ford Monday night resulted in the death of a fine mule belonging to B. D. Vines of Wise county. The mishap occurred about a mile the other side of Oklahoma.

Mr. Vines was traveling through the country from Wise to some western county, looking for work. He had unhitched his team. The animals were frightened by a passing freight train, and ran to the middle of the road just as a Ford car going "almety to nothing," as he said, came from the east, hitting the animal, and knocking him several yards. Two legs were broken so that it was necessary to kill the mule. The car never stopped.

Luckily, Mr. Vines had an extra pony along which he hitched along with the other mule and proceeded on his way. The animal killed was the better of his team and its loss broke a span for which Mr. Vines believes he could have gotten \$600 or \$700.

The loss of the mule was one of a series of misfortunes happening to Mr. Vines. Drouth has prevented his making any crops for several years and last winter he and his entire family were down for several weeks with the influenza which blighted his prospects for this year. He has been working at Burkburnett for some time.

Doans News.

Doans, Sept. 16.—(By special correspondence.) J. S. Archer has the contract for cementing the spillway at the Spring Lake.

Miss Vivian Lacey of Tolbert is visiting at the home of N. A. Lipscomb. J. W. Cowan and family spent Sunday with C. E. Thompson of Odell. Miss Lizzie Hamm is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Rena M. Watts of Vernon.

Herschel Thompson has returned from Claude.

J. W. Cowan and J. C. Wilson have gone to Dallas to get cotton pickers. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ross and C. F. Doan spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ross of Odell.

L. L. Hamm and George Collier were in Oklahoma Sunday.

Miss Ruth Skipworth of Bridgeport is guest of Misses Lucille and Fannie Mae Bridges.

Miss Ida Belle Rountree spent Friday with Miss Ola Eastmon.

J. C. Collier has returned from a month's visit with his mother in Missouri.

T. J. Ammons and family spent Sunday with C. C. Ammons and family.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Harold Briscoe.

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Notice to Painters.
The Commissioners Court of Wilbarger county, Texas, will receive bids up to 10 o'clock a. m., October 1st, 1919, to paint the outside walls, also to paint and caluminate the inside walls of the courthouse, as per specifications on file in the office of the County Judge. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
This September 15, 1919.
E. L. McHUGH,
County Judge.

Alleged Forger Arrested in Altus.
Sheriff W. A. Ish returned Tuesday from Altus, Okla., where he went to bring back Jim Hunter (colored) wanted on a charge of forgery. It is alleged that Hunter forged several checks on different business houses in Vernon Saturday. He was apprehended in Altus Monday.

Kaho for your white shoes can't be beat. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-2tp.

Bryant Instructor in Wichita Falls.
Burl Bryant and his mother, Mrs. Annie Adams, have moved to Wichita Falls, where the former has accepted a position as mathematics instructor in the city high schools. Mr. Bryant, who is a brother of County Weigher I. L. Bryant, taught in the local schools several years ago. He attended Chicago University last summer.

Lease for Sale.
10 acres on Section 25, block 13, H. & T. C. Railway Survey; 10 acres in Subdivision 74, Waggoner Colony; 100 acres in section 74, block 12. I don't know what they are worth. If you do, make me an offer as I must sell them. Address Box 585, Vernon, Texas, 70-4tc.

J. M. Woods and daughter of Pensacola, Fla., are expected today to spend several days in Vernon visiting his brother, R. E. L. Woods. The brothers have not seen each other for seven years.

Miss Winnie Smith expects to leave Sunday for Abilene, where she will attend Abilene Christian College.

Without a fresh shine you can't be dressed up. Palm Shine Shop. 70-2tp.

Just received a car load of White Cross flour. Satisfaction guaranteed. any part of your glasses in the shortest time. D. C. Matthews, West Texas street possible time. E. M. Leutwyler. Adv. 70-3tc.

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(Incorporated)

ANDREW J. BRITTON, Manager

We have enlarged our office, and increased our office force, and are now equipped to make you an abstract in the shortest possible time, to any tract of land or town lot in Wilbarger County, at customary prices.

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THE PROFIT IN SHOES

Who Makes It
?



The Retail Shoe Merchant Certainly Doesn't Make a BIG Profit

He actually is making a LESS profit at HIGH prices than when shoes sold at LOWER prices. Running the business costs more.

Here Are Some of the Reasons:

RENTS ARE HIGHER.

The retail merchant has to pay more for shoes at the prevailing wholesale prices.

WAGES ARE HIGHER

He has to invest MUCH more in stock to get proportionately smaller profits.

The Profits in the Retail Shoe Trade Are Less Than in Almost Any Other Line

The average dealer who shows a profit of nine per cent believes he is really lucky under present conditions. Any business man will tell you this is an UNUSUALLY low percentage for one who has to invest large sums to maintain the standards required in this particular line.

IS MANUFACTURER PROFITEER?

Hardly. He's no better off than the retailer. His advance in prices haven't kept pace with labor and raw material advances.

LEATHER TANNER A PROFITEER?

No! No more so than the retail merchant or the manufacturer. They can't sell at old prices when labor and materials keep going up.

HIGH PRICED HIDES ARE THE REAL REASONS FOR HIGH PRICED SHOES!

They've been going up in price, and as they climb, the costs are reflected all the way down the line to the man or woman who buys a pair of shoes. Hides are costly because their production cannot be determined by the law of SUPPLY and DEMAND. They are simply a BY-PRODUCT of the great packing industry.

THE STEER IS KILLED FOR BEEF—NOT TO GET ITS HIDE. THE CONSUMPTION OF BEEF HAS BEEN DECREASING STEADILY. THE USE OF HIDES HAS BEEN INCREASING STEADILY.

Here is a comparison of prices of steers, which has operated straight down the line to shoe costs:

	Prices Maximum Sales Prices			Prices Maximum Sales Prices	
	Dec. 1918	July, 1919		Dec. 1918	July, 1919
Spready native steers	\$.30	\$.52	Colorado steers	\$.22	\$.46
Heavy native steers	.29	.52	Heavy native cows	.27	.50
Heavy Texas steers	.27	.46	Light native cows	.23	.52
Light Texas steers	.26	.45	Branded bulls	.18-1.2	.35-1.2
Butt branded steers	.27	.46	Chicago City calfskins	.40	.80.

Note the difference in SIX MONTHS! Compare the MEAT advances with the SHOE price advances.

Additional Shoe Truths will appear in this paper. Meantime—

THINK IT OVER!

DIXON DRY GOODS CO.

RUSSELL'S.

PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE CO.

H. F. McKIBBIN

BRUNSON & WILLIAMS.

OVER 5 MILLION DOLLAR BUSINESS ITS OPENING YEAR

Wichita Falls' biggest insurance institution, the Wichita Great Western Underwriters, announced Saturday their field of operations to take in several plans to extend their field of operations to take in several new states. The company which is made up of home capital and which has on its advisory board some of the leading men of Texas in financial circles, expects to bring into local bank deposits through their underwriters, hundreds of thousands of dollars in new capital during their new fiscal year.

The Wichita Great Western Underwriters started in business just a year ago and during the first twelve months, secured on their books more than five million dollars insurance, with three million dollars more in hand at the close of the twelve months period. The company writes fire insurance on the reciprocal plan, and were able at the end of the year to refund to their policy holders 52 per cent of the premiums paid. According to Mr. Mabry, who is one of the executive officers of the company, this remarkable result was obtained through the careful selection of preferred risks accepted.

The personnel of the institution is well known to the southwest as leading bankers and business men. John S. Mabry and R. E. Huff are managers and attorneys for the company. J. O. Powers is secretary-treasurer. The advisory board is composed of the following prominent Texans:

D. E. Waggoner, president Security National Bank, Dallas.

R. E. Huff, president First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. A. Kemp, president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. C. Hunt, wholesale grainery, Wichita Falls, Texas.

W. H. Fuqua, president First National Bank, Amarillo, Texas.

R. R. Darrab, manager Magnolia Petroleum Company, Fort Worth, Texas.

P. P. Langford, vice president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

C. W. Reid, president National Bank of Commerce, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Chas. C. Huff, general counsel M. K. & T. Railway Company, also general counsel Federal Reserve Bank, Dallas, Texas.

W. R. Ferguson, president Wichita State Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. B. Mayfield, president Mayfield Company, wholesale grocers, Tyler, Texas.

C. E. McCutchen, vice president First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

John S. Mabry, manager and attorney Wichita Great Western Underwriters, Wichita Falls, Texas. 70-3tc

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I am now in position to haul anything and everything at any time. Prompt attention given to all calls.

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With twenty old line companies in our agency, we are in position to insure all kinds of property, and can give you any kind of protection that can be had in the INSURANCE line. We can insure your grain against fire, whether threshed or in the shock, anywhere on your farm. We insure Oil Derricks and Rigs.

Place your insurance with an agency that is here to stay.

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Herring Bank Bldg.

Office Phone 15. Res. 310

EXPERT MECHANIC

R. E. Hanks, formerly foreman of the repair department for the Smith Auto Sales Company, has taken charge of the company's repair department in Vernon. Mr. Hanks is an expert mechanic and will be in position to repair not only the makes of cars handled by the firm—the Columbia, Lexington, Packard cars and G. M. C. Trucks—but any kind of machines.

SMITH AUTO SALES COMPANY

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Vernon, Texas, Friday, Sept. 19, 1914

THE HOUSING PROBLEM.

The crisis Vernon faces in the matter of some place in which people who rent may live in comfort is perhaps no more serious than the housing problem of many other towns and cities. Vernon's welfare is vitally bound up in her housing problem.

It is not only a question of being able to "pay the price." The inconvenience caused by having to move every little while, even if a home were available, is unbearable, and as a result many valuable citizens are going to be lost to the community if a solution is not found.

Owners can not be blamed for selling their houses when a profit is offered which dwarfs any reasonable rent, nor can people be blamed for offering to buy homes in Vernon. The fact remains that Vernon will suffer far more than the loss of good citizens if some provision is not made—because the people who are forced to leave will be enemies of Vernon.

Dallas is meeting the housing problem by employers providing funds with which new homes may be built for their workmen. Wichita Falls is working out a housing corporation, in which men who have ample means are taking stock liberally. The Vernon Cotton Oil Company is setting an admirable example, by building four homes for its employees.

Dozens of men in Vernon are able to build, and while they can not be blamed for not building to rent with prices as high as now, these men, our bankers, and the Chamber of Commerce can render no larger service than by finding a way to solve the problem of homes.

A large apartment house might be one solution. Houses similar to those erected by the Government at war camps, or houses built upon the duplicating plan offered by the Government, which, it is said, results in a saving of from twenty-five to thirty per cent, might meet the situation better. It would be much better for all concerned to build these houses and sell them on monthly payments to the people who have no homes.

Vernon must have workers. The community can not afford to lose citizens.

LIBERALITY WILL BECOME US.

Wilbarger county is prosperous. Never before was there such prosperity as we enjoy. For this reason it will become us to be liberal in our contributions for the survivors of the recent Gulf hurricane.

Losses are estimated at from ten to fifteen million dollars. Nearly as many people as live in Vernon are homeless. Stories are frequent of women and children being rescued after having spent all night in the lashing waters. One mother and her babe, covered over with crude oil, rode out the storm on a sort of raft which they were so fortunate as to be thrown upon. The mother was blinded by the oil, but with unyielding will she kept hold of the raft and in touch with her baby, both deathly sick, through the terrible night, until help found them.

Those people have been robbed

of everything. There never was a time when generosity was more Christ-like.

It comes to The Record that a suggestion of trouble has been hinted at if Mexican laborers are brought in for the purpose of picking cotton. Of course, such a hint was made thoughtlessly. With all of the work he can do no man is going to attempt to incite trouble to prevent other men from working, and when the needs of the community are (as in this case) pressing he will not complain if these workers come from Mexico. Citizens will not tolerate such unreasonable interference with their taking care of their crops, nor will the Government countenance it.

The recent Gulf storm will impress upon the people the need for voting favorably upon one of the proposed amendments to the State constitution permitting Galveston and Galveston county to issue bonds in the sum of \$5,000,000 for further protection against the encroachment of water. The proposition fastens no burden upon the rest of the State. It permits the people of that community to go in debt to protect themselves. Galveston's seawall demonstrated again Sunday that it is a bulwark protecting thousands of lives and millions of dollars worth of property. Every voter ought to vote for the Galveston proposition.

Thompson News.

Thompson, Sept. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—Most farmers of this community are busy cutting maize and gathering corn. Some few are preparing to pick cotton.

O. E. Sherman hauled a load of lumber Monday for the purpose of remodeling the school house.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long, Sunday, September 7, a girl.

G. W. and J. T. Pittman and families of Harrold were guests of W. W. Jackson and family Sunday.

Miss Naoma Attaway is attending school at Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sherman entertained the young people with a party Saturday night.

W. W. Jackson and Earnest McNeely made a business trip to Vernon Wednesday.

Misses Doris and Blanche Attaway entertained a few of their friends Monday evening. Ice cream and cake were served. The entertainment was given in honor of Misses Lorena and Gertrude Bourland of Dallas.

Everett Henry and Carolyn Sherman attended the club picnic given at Doans Friday and Saturday.

D. B. Harvey is spending the week at the Luther Webb farm north of Vernon, where he is preparing wheat land for another year.

Earl White of Henrietta is visiting his sister, Mrs. D. E. McNeely.

Miss Grace Jackson spent the week end with friends at Electra.

Miles Rainwater of this community will move to Vernon for the benefit of the schools the following term. The Gaston family will move to his present home.

Quite a number of people of this

This Is Better Than Laxatives

One NR Tablet Each Night For A Week Will Cure Constipation and Make Constant Dosing Unnecessary. Try it.

Poor digestion and assimilation mean a poorly nourished body and low vitality. Poor elimination means clogged bowels, fermentation, putrefaction and the formation of poisonous gases which are absorbed by the blood and carried through the body. The result is weakness, headaches, dizziness, coated tongue, inactive liver, bilious attacks, loss of energy, nervousness, poor appetite, impoverished blood, sallow complexion, pimples, skin disease, and often times serious illness.

Ordinary laxatives, purges and cathartics—salts, oils, calomel and the like—may relieve for a few hours, but real, lasting benefit can only come through use of medicine that tones up and strengthens the digestive as well as the eliminative organs.

Get a 25c box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) and take one tablet each night for a week. Relief will follow the very first dose, but a few days will elapse before you feel and realize the fullest benefit. When you get straightened out and feel just right again you need not take medicine every day—an occasional NR Tablet will then keep your system in good condition and you will always feel your best. Remember, keeping well is easier and cheaper than getting well.

Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) are sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

T. M. FERGUSON DRUG CO.
Vernon, Texas

Nature's Remedy
DR. TABLETS
Better than DRUGS GET A
For Liver and 25c Box

FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN

(Copyrighted by W. T. Foster.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 19, 1914.—Last Bulletin gave forecasts of warm waves to cross continent Sept. 21 to 25 and 27 to 31, reaching meridian 90 near Sept. 23 and 29. Storm waves about one day later and cool waves about two days later.

Next warm wave will reach Vancouver about Oct. 2 and temperatures will rise on all the Pacific slope. It will cross crest of Rockies by close of Oct. 3, plains sections 4, meridian 90, great lakes, middle Gulf States and Ohio-Tennessee valleys 5, eastern sections 6, reaching vicinity of Newfoundland about October 7. Storm wave will follow about one day behind warm wave and cool wave about one day behind storm wave.

These disturbers of our atmosphere will control weather of this continent from Sept. 21 to Oct. 7. Temperature trend will be upward till near Sept. 29 and then downward. Storms will be feeble and rainfall as a general whole of the continent below normal.

October will come in as a playful kitten and go out as a hideous beast. Weather from first of August to Oct. 10 will have averaged unusually quiet. The seventy days, beginning with Oct.

11, will contain a variety of weather extremes. Precipitation and intensity of the storms will increase largely.

Location of precipitation is not expected to change much till beginning of December. About that time crop-weather will change east of Rockies, one-fourth to one-third of the country, for five or six months following, becoming drouthy and balance of it will get increased precipitation. For 1920 two-thirds of the continent east of Rockies is expected to produce above normal crops and one-third will get short crops.

Severity, or intensity of storms has very much to do with precipitation. Severe storms mean increased precipitation. These Bulletins do not pretend to give perfect forecasts, but they are better guides than the average guesser, therefore the safest method is to make them your guide. They will miss it sometimes, but not as often as your guesses will be in error.

I warn you to be on guard for dangerous storms during the weeks centering on Oct. 26, Nov. 24 and Dec. 22. It will pay you to put all your outdoor affairs in good condition for very bad weather during those three weeks.

Money to Loan.

On improved farms, stock farms and ranches. Vendor's lien notes purchased and extended; reasonable rates, liberal terms of pre-payment. Sudden Service. No expense to you for examination of the security or abstracts. Come in and talk it over with us.

THE SIMMONS MORTGAGE CO.,
70-Ste. Adv. Vernon, Texas.

S. G. Moore stopped over Wednesday on a visit with his sister, Mrs. R. E. L. Wood, en route from Fort Worth to his home in Hereford.

If you haven't a kodak of your own, we will loan you one free. If you want to buy, we sell the Eastman line. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-tfc

BRING ME YOUR CAR TROUBLES

Let an EXPERT mechanic drive your car a couple of blocks and tell you what it needs. I don't have to pull the motor to tell you what the trouble is, and I save you money on Ford, Overland, Dort, and Chalmers parts.

FREEMAN'S CASH SHOP

Located in Old Key Blacksmith Shop
North Main Street Phone 501
69-4tc—Fri.

New September Numbers of

Columbia Records



Stracciari Sings Sublimely "The Sunshine of Your Smile"

Stracciari is magnificent in this impassioned plea for love. His voice is vibrant with vivid feeling, which he makes you share. To hear this record is to realize how much greater is a great popular song when sung by a great artist. 49590—\$1.50

Barbara Maurel Sings "Love's Old Sweet Song" and "Kathleen Mavourneen"

It is a revelation to hear Barbara Maurel sing these two songs which everybody loves. The old words take on new meanings in her tender, thrilling tones. A-6112—\$1.50



Jacobsen Is At His Best in "Dear Old Pal of Mine"

Sascha Jacobsen searches your heart in this song set to music for the violin. The yearning notes from his magic bow make you yearn for your own old pals. On the reverse he plays bewitchingly Victor Herbert's dainty "Serenade." A-2753—\$1.00

The 38 new Columbia selections for September include 1 Grand Opera song, 3 popular songs by Grand Opera stars, 5 other popular songs, 4 tenor solos, 3 tenor duets, 2 Hawaiian melodies, 2 popular pieces, 2 instrumental selections, 2 violin solos, 1 symphony orchestra selection in 4 parts, 1 trio, 1 quartet, and 10 dances.

New Columbia Records on Sale the 10th and 20th of Every Month



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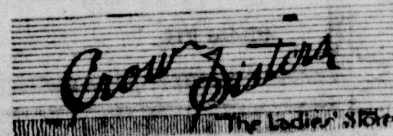


There Is Art In Every Coat We Are Showing

The display includes exquisite designs—representative of Fashion's most favored modes developed in the newest materials.

The pleasure of seeing them is well worth a shopping trip. Some distinctive designs are shown this week for the first time.

\$20.00 to \$184.70



OUR WELL IS DOWN

to where an interesting formation might take all the stock off the market. We are DRILLING UNINTERRUPTEDLY, and have so far experienced none of the delays which are holding up so many wells. A well on our 200 acres means a fortune for every holder of a share of Waggoner Colony stock.

BUY STOCK NOW

if you want to profit with us. We have 200 acres and turned down an attractive offer to sell out at a profit because, based on the report of experienced geologists, we have "EVIDENCES OF OIL THAT ARE MOST CONVINCING."

REMEMBER, THE MEN BEHIND

Waggoner Colony guarantee you a thorough test for oil, and 200 acres of lease insure you a fortune if we get a well, or a handsome profit if there is a well brought in in the Northeast part of the county

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C. D. GREENE, Sales Manager.

LOCAL COMPRESS TO STORE COTTON

**PUBLIC WEIGHER MOVES SCALES
TO WHERE STAPLE WILL BE
SHELTERED.**

Public Weigher L. L. Bryant moved the public cotton scales to the Interstate Compress yesterday afternoon. For the rest of this season, at least all local cotton will be weighed there and stored under the shed of the compress.

Following negotiations that have been pending with the compress people for several weeks, an agreement has been reached whereby the matter of weighing and storing has been consolidated and the staple, after being weighed by the public weigher, will be stored with the compress. This arrangement was prompted by the demand for a public cotton warehouse in order that the waste and deterioration to staple experienced by farmers heretofore as a result of an unsheltered cotton yard may be eliminated.

"Owing to the reduction in the cotton acreage in this territory making it uncertain as to the volume of concentrated cotton we could expect to handle, coupled with the present high cost of operating compress machinery, our Vernon press will not do any compressing this season," said Mr. Hodge, "but in view of the apparent demand for a proper shelter for Vernon cotton all of our shed space will be available for local receipts."

Efforts will also be made this year to remedy the evil of excessive sampling and Mr. Hodge is of the opinion that with the co-operation of the farmers and the cotton buyers it will be possible to eliminate this wasteful practice altogether.

A charge of 25 cents a bale will be made for receiving, tagging, assembling into lots, marking and delivering to railroad. Free storage will be allowed for fifteen days, after which a charge of 1 cent a day will be made on each bale.

Rayland News.

Rayland, Sept. 17.—(By special correspondence.)—Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hix of North Carolina arrived Saturday afternoon to make this their home. Mr. Hix is a nephew of Mrs. R. P. Price. He visited in this community a few years ago and made many friends who will be glad to learn that he will make this his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Davis, of Talmage, have moved to Mrs. N. E. Jordan's place at Rayland.

Frank Edwards left Monday for a few days' visit with friends in Gainesville.

Mrs. G. L. Jones of Dallas is visiting relatives in this community.

Millard Danson of Vernon is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Evans of Elmore City, Okla., is visiting Mrs. Evan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin.

Mrs. John L. Rennels returned Monday from Audubon, where she has been visiting relatives.

Little Miss Virginia German spent the week-end in Vernon with her aunt, Mrs. T. A. Beazley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young were business visitors in Vernon Monday.

A number of the Rayland young people spent Sunday with Miss Alma Schroeder of Thalia.

Harry White and Aden Cooper were transacting business in Vernon Monday.

Claude Gregg of Claude, Texas, is visiting his brother, Ralph Gregg.

Elbert and Louie Schoppa of the Lockett community attended preaching at the Christian Church Sunday night.

George Wells from Colorado, is visiting at the home of J. E. Young this week.

Allen French is on the sick list this week.

The people are all busy getting feed cut and in the shock and their corn gathered. The cotton is opening very fast and will soon be ready to pick.

The gin is being repaired this week under the management of W. A. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, of Thalia, attended church at the Christian Church Tuesday night.

If you are not getting satisfactory results with your kodak, let us help you to make better pictures. No charge. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-tfc

Grady McGee, Adolphus Wright, Walford Thompson and Bob Bonar of Crowell were visitors in Vernon Tuesday.

J. R. Jones' real estate office phone No. is 617. His office is located in the Ferguson building on the west side of North Main street, fronting east, just one door north of Hahn's dry goods store. If you want to buy, sell or rent real estate, you will find it to your interest to phone or call on him. 65-tfc

THE TEST OF MEN

Men in these days are tested through competitive examination and their bank accounts. Where is your Bank Account? Do you keep it in a Bank that takes a personal interest in its growth—in your success—does all that it can to help you? The First Guaranty State Bank is a Bank of Personal Service. It wants the account of men who seek such service.

The ability to earn money does not endure forever. Upon what will you fall back when that ability is gone?

First Guaranty State Bank

"The Bank of Personal Service."

Fargo News.

Fargo, Sept. 17.—(By special correspondence.)—The farmers are busy heading maize and gathering corn.

Miss Leola Smith began her school at Wildcat Monday morning.

R. L. Rheay lost a fine hog from heat last week.

The young people enjoyed a singing at the home of R. E. Harrold last Sunday night.

Ethel Sweatman visited Misses Irene and Lena Marlow, of the Wildcat community last week.

Mrs. J. H. Cato and children have returned from their visit to Minera, Wells.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at the Methodist Church Saturday, September 20. There will be preaching at 11 a. m., by Presiding Elder M. Phelan and conference in the afternoon.

A niece of W. H. Beavers is visiting here from Oklahoma.

Miss Florence May will leave Thursday for the State University at Austin.

The B. Y. P. U. will render a very interesting program Sunday evening at 4:30 o'clock. Every one is invited to attend.

Mrs. Wayne Adams is able to be up some, after several weeks illness.

Frank Mason, Fred Shearer, Orr Cato, Bob Suttle, D. W. May, Robert May and W. H. Olives were in Vernon on business this week.

There will be preaching at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night, by Elder M. Phelan. League in the evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Lamoine Switzer is leader. A very interesting program is being planned.

A Stock of Good Mattresses.

Everywhere we are met with the cry of scarcity of mattresses and higher prices, but by diligent hunting we secured a splendid stock and the best part of this story is that we are underselling on these first class mattresses. Why can we undersell? Because of our cash buying and cash selling methods.

ite THE EVERY-THING STORE.

Mrs. Robert Jones will spend the week-end at Frederick visiting friends.

Let you forget—we receive fresh vegetables daily. Bargdoll & Stanley. Phone 82 and 88. 71-tfc

Jo H. Trout will probably return tomorrow from Onley, where he has been visiting relatives for several days.

Bring us your butter and eggs. We will pay more than anybody else. Bargdoll & Stanley. Phone 82 and 88. 71-tfc.

GET READY FOR "FLU"

Keep Your Liver Active, Your System Purified and Free From Colds by Taking Calotabs, the Nauseless Calomel Tablets, that are Delightful, Safe and Sure.

Physicians and Druggists are advising their friends to keep their systems purified and their organs in perfect working order as a protection against the return of influenza. They know that a clogged up system and a lazy liver favor colds, influenza and serious complications.

To cut short a cold overnight and to prevent serious complications take one Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea, no griping, no sickening after effects. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified and refreshed and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please—no danger. Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Every druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not perfectly delighted with Calotabs.—(Adv.)

East Vernon News.

East Vernon, Sept. 17.—(By special correspondence.)—Crops are needing rain.

Several have begun picking cotton. Mr. Charlie Myers and family have returned home from Young county where they have been visiting Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. Hoffman.

S. P. King and family and Miss Clara Pullman of the Guyer community, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. T. E. Burchfield.

Jess White entertained the young people with a cream supper Saturday night. There was a large crowd present and every one reported a nice time.

Miss Shirley Baker and Miss Maggie Thomas spent Sunday night with Miss Hazel and Della Love.

Grandma Hart of the West Hinds community spent Sunday with Mrs. Jess White.

Honey, Honey, Honey.

Pure South Texas Comb honey. Bargdoll & Stanley. Phone 82 and 88. 71-tfc.

J. M. Thaxton is here from Rocky Ford Colo., with a view of locating Mr. Thaxton says he got down his may and picked out Vernon as a desirable town. He says the town comes up to his expectations.

Younger Young Men's Suits

The Snappy Stuff

That's what they want—and that's what we have for them.

A. B. Kirschbaum & Company have certainly made some snappy styles for us this season.

Look at these models, which are typical of our young men's suits.

\$25 to \$50

Young men's Hats and Caps.

Young men's Shoes and Shirts.

H. F. McKIBBIN



CALL THE LAUNDRYMAN

He can tell you how to get rid of your laundry troubles in fifteen minutes. He says that it will only take ten minutes to gather all the linen, shirts and collars and other starch ware together; four minutes to wrap it securely in a bundle, and one minute to call the laundry. Total expenditure of time, fifteen minutes; time saved fifteen hours. And remember, the driver don't only take away your laundry, he gathers all the untidiness and drudgery of washday—and leaves your leisure for more womanly activities.

Send it to the Laundry.

EMPIRE LAUNDRY

PHONE 60

The Crescent Petroleum Co.

VERNON, TEXAS

Capital 100,000—Par Value 1.00—Non-Assessable.

Our derrick is up on the Star land in Section 7, Block 15, Wilbarger County, Texas. We will drill 2,500 feet unless oil or gas in paying quantities is found at a lesser depth.

We are offering 50,000 shares of stock for sale at \$1.00 per share. We are NOT like some, offering you a SURE THING, but we think we have a good chance for oil, and the drill is the only sure way of telling.

Our present location is within three hundred yards of where two 1280 foot wells were drilled several years ago on the Covert land. Oil was reported found in both wells.

All money received from the sale of stock is placed in The First Guaranty State Bank of Vernon to be used for development and expense of company.

Write or call C. W. HARVEY, Secretary, care of First Guaranty State Bank, or Vernon Hotel.

TRUSTEES:

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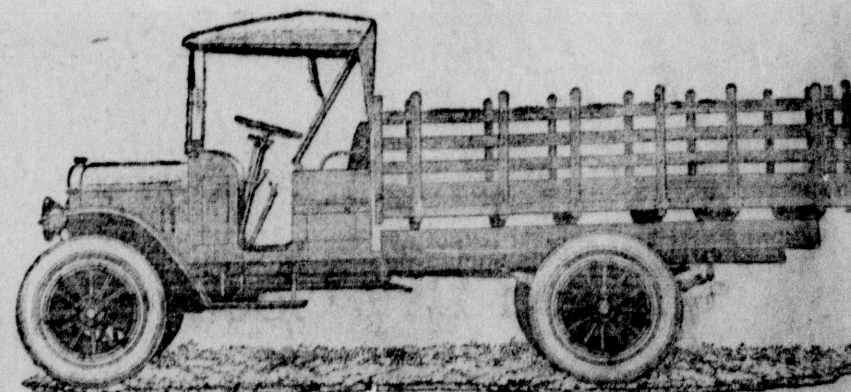
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Good four-room house in Southeast Vernon lots 60x120.

160 acres good sand land farm in Collingsworth County. 8 miles from Wellington. \$35.00 per acre, \$1,000 trade, \$1,900 cash will handle the deal. Hog fence around the entire place, three-room house, good out-buildings, FINE WATER.

We Write All Kinds Of Insurance

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New Real Estate Firm

We have opened up a real estate office in Vernon and are here to stay. For quick sales and honest, faithful service, list your property with us. We have a number of good propositions, especially in the way of farms, that might interest you. Come to see us.

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tf Fr. Price's Garage, South Cumberland. Phone 383

Miss Annah Joe Pendleton

TEACHER OF EXPRESSION

Studio 327 West Texas Street Phone 50.

69-4tp.

LOCAL OIL COMPANY CAPITAL IS DOUBLED

ORGANIZATION WITH 2,500 ACRES
LOCATES DRILLING SITE IN
HARDEMAN.

A re-organization of the Wilbarger County Oil Company has been effected whereby the capital stock was increased from \$90,000 to \$180,000. The company holds leases on 2,500 acres located in Wilbarger and Hardeman counties near Odell. W. O. Anderson is president; Luther Webb, vice president; L. G. Hawkins, treasurer; and A. C. Raines is secretary. W. O. Anderson, Luther Webb, L. G. Hawkins, J. S. Cook, J. E. Pitts, O. C. Frost, J. A. Cox, J. B. Morris and H. D. Tennyson are trustees.

The drilling site has been located on the B. C. Carter farm in Hardeman county. The contract to drill the test has been let to J. E. Pitts and O. C. Frost of Wichita county. Messrs. Pitts and Frost are oil operators of some twenty years' experience and are included among the promoters of the famous M. & P. Burk Company.

The derrick has been erected; rig irons are in place, and the drilling machinery was brought from Electric to the location Tuesday and Wednesday. The test will be spudded in within a few days, it is announced.

The sale of the stock is progressing rapidly, Mr. Raines advises.

Car Sales Continue Brisk

Local dealers report that the demand for cars in Wilbarger continues to exceed the supply. Shipment of the machines from the factories is slow and in many cases orders are filed for several weeks before the car arrives. Napier Bros. Ford & Motor Agency reports the sale of a Ford to C. R. Thomas, a touring car to T. J. Watson, and a truck to Walter Southall. The Vernon Hardware & Implement Company sold Oakland Sixes to S. S. Bell of Crowell and Frank Simpson. Chas. T. Wood and Mrs. G. E. Blackburn have bought Columbia cars from the Smith Auto Sales Company.

We guarantee our new process shoe dye. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-2tp

Hospital Nurse Praises Tanlac

Gaines Eleven Pounds And Is Feeling
Fine Since Taking
Tanalac.

"Tanalac did so much for me that I feel it my duty to tell others about this medicine," said C. M. Rhamey, a professional nurse living at the Hotel George, on Sixth street, San Francisco, Calif., recently. Mr. Rhamey has been nursing patients in the hospitals for the past eight years.

"Last February," he continued, "owing to an accident in which my leg was broken I was confined to my bed for several weeks. I lost my appetite and could hardly eat anything to nourish me, consequently I lost weight. I took several different kinds of tonics, hoping they would help build me up but they did me no good."

"One morning I read a statement by a lady in Los Angeles who said she had gotten such wonderful benefits from taking Tanlac that I decided to try it myself. By the time I had finished half of my first bottle my appetite returned, and I felt hungry for the first time in weeks. From then on I started right in to pick up and my appetite got better and better and I slept better at night. I have already gained eleven pounds and am feeling just fine; even my doctor has remarked how much better I am looking. I would never allow my name to be used in connection with a medicine before, but I have had such excellent results from using Tanlac that I take great pleasure in recommending it to anyone needing a medicine to build up the system."

Tanalac is sold in Vernon by T. M. Ferguson Drug Company and leading druggists everywhere. Adv. 11

STOLEN AUTOMOBILE LOCATED.

Owner of Dodge Found After Wiring to Factory and Retail Dealer in Colorado.

Sheriff W. A. Ish is holding a Dodge car for its owner in Rocky Ford, Colo. The automobile was held up several days ago at Harrold on account of the suspicious actions of the driver who, however, escaped.

The car was brought to Vernon and Mr. Ish wired the identification numbers to the Dodge factory at Detroit, Mich., inquiring to what dealer this car was sold. He received the reply that the machine was sold to a dealer in Colorado and he immediately got in communication with this firm and learned that the machine had been sold to a party at Rocky Ford. A third message was sent to this party and he answered advising that the car he held, as it was stolen from him several days ago.

Mr. Ish reminds that this is but one instance of how the owner of a car has been traced down through the operation of the present automobile laws.

Remember.

If you want the best the market affords in the way of cutlery and everything in the way of hardware, queensware, enamelware and aluminum, see J. R. Renfro. 71-1tc

J. R. Jones' real estate office is on North Main street in Ferguson building. 42-4f

Earl H. Wilson has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the office of the Interstate Compress.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-2tc

Misses Geraldine Parker and Dorothy Hicks expect to leave Sunday night for Nashville, Tenn., where they will enter Ward Belmont College.

There is such a thing as wearing glasses when you should not, and not wearing them when you should. It is a mistake to do either. Better consult us. E. M. Leutwyler. 11c

I have buyers for suburban city property. Vacant acreage property at right prices preferred. Either call phone No. 617 or call at my office, J. R. Jones, Agent, Ferguson building, North Main Street. 55-5tc

Plumber Thought He Needed New Pipes

"My stomach and intestines were always full of gas and I often had severe colic attacks. The pain and soreness caused me to think I needed a new set of pipes. Since taking Mayr's Wonderful Remedy all this has disappeared and my only trouble now is to make enough dough to buy all the food I'd like to eat." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

Sold by T. M. Ferguson Drug Company and druggists everywhere. 11c

OUR BOAST RED STAR FLOUR PETRINGS COFFEE

RED STAR FLOUR is sold on quality alone. It costs a little more than any flour manufactured. Hotels, Cafes, and Bakeries all over the country as well as in Vernon demand it.

PETRING'S COFFEE is one of the highest grades of Coffee to be had. We can save the consumer from five to ten cents per pound, because we buy direct from the importer. No other store in Vernon has such connections.

WE ARE SELLING

Large Crisco	- - - -	\$ 2.35
Small Crisco	- - - -	1.25
Comb Honey 10 lbs., South Texas,		2.50
Comb Honey 5 lbs., South Texas		1.30
Creamery Butter, Brookfield, 15 oz.		.60
Sweet Corn No. 2, extra standard		.20
Kerosene, 5 gallons,	- - - -	.65

WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES ON ALL CURED MEATS

We deliver bills of \$5.00 or more every morning, but do not make deliveries in afternoon.

BROWN'S CASH GROCERY

White Crest flour for sale at D. C. Matthew's grocery store on West Texas street. Adv. 70-3tc

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CHIROPRACTORS
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Service Car Anywhere.
Country Drives a Specialty
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Bring me your car troubles and I will treat you fair. I do my own work and guarantee satisfaction. I don't work boys and charge mechanic prices.

FREEMAN'S CASH SHOP

In Todd's old blacksmith shop.
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Consisting of Bed Room, Dining Room and Living Room Suits. They are beauties, and it will pay you well to see them before you buy.

Our Rug stock is very complete; we have some very beautiful patterns, ranging in price from \$16.00 up as high as you wish to go.

Remember these goods were all bought some time past, so you will get the benefit of an early buy if you will come before they are all gone.

If you will just follow the crowd to Youngblood's store you will see who is selling the furniture in Vernon. Come early while you can get what you want at the price you wish to pay.

Yours truly

T. J. YOUNGBLOOD

EVERYTHING IN DRUGS

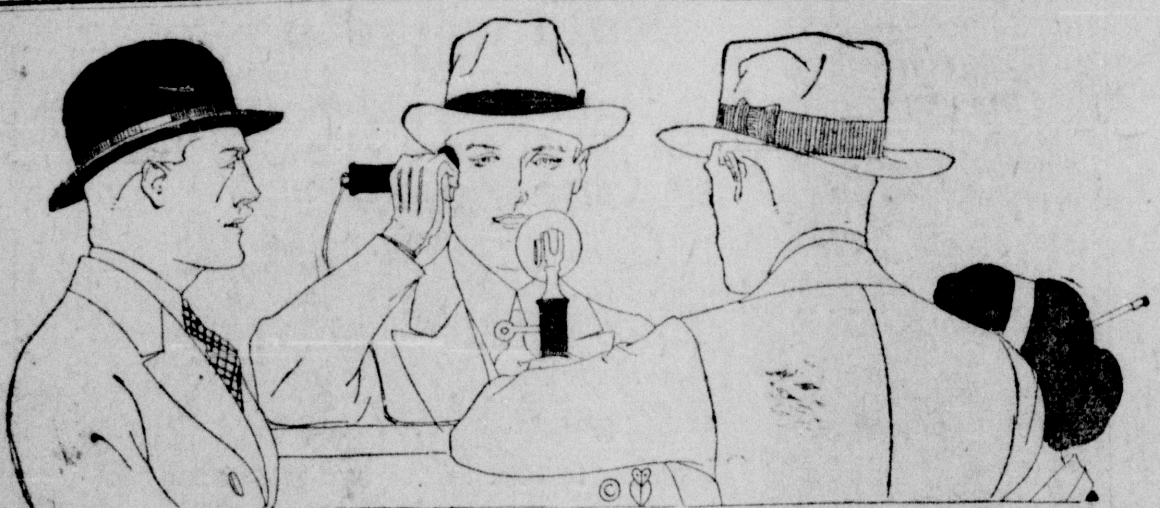
Maybe you have a special formula or remedy, a good old standard family compound which you would like to have prepared?

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The Straw Hat is slated for the shelf until next Spring.

Select your new felt from our stock of Stetsons, Trimbles and Mallorys.

An ample range of styles and materials enables you to select a hat in exact accord with your ideas.

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